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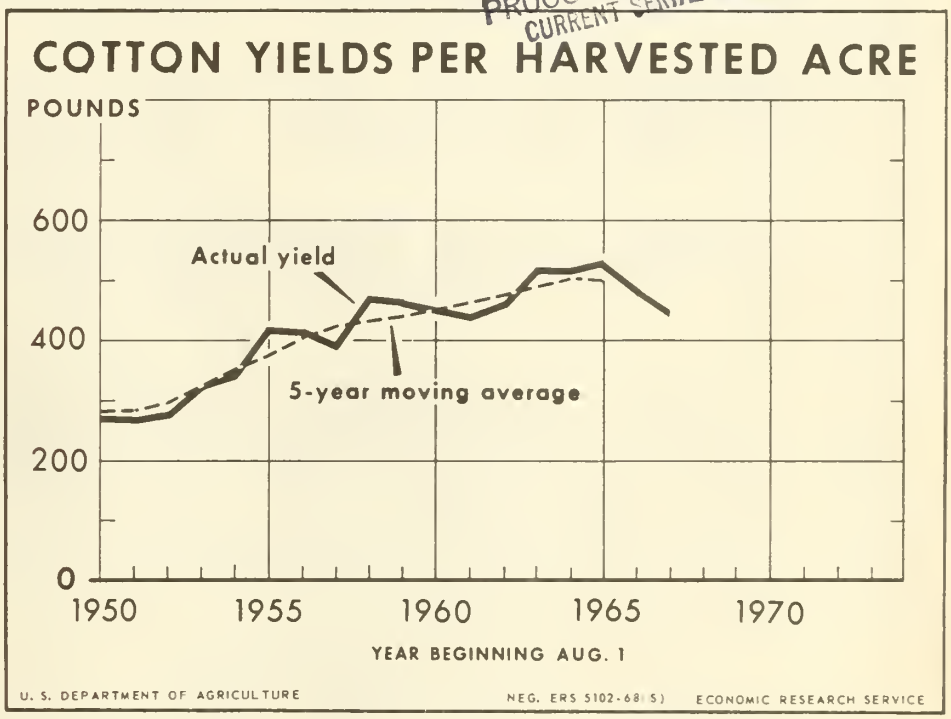

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Cotton Situation at a Glance

Item	Unit	1967 February	1967 March	1967 April	1968 1/ February	1968 1/ March	1968 1/ April
Prices, received by farmers for American upland 2/	Cents	20.21	20.45	20.43	19.90	19.35	19.58
Parity price for American upland 3/	Cents	41.87	41.99	42.11	43.78	44.03	44.41
Farm price as a percentage of parity	Percent	48	49	49	45	44	44
Average designated spot market price Middling 1 inch	Cents	22.01	22.08	22.17	25.40	25.21	25.06
Average price, gray goods, expanded series	Cents	66.42	66.29	66.01	67.64	67.29	67.32
Average price cotton used in the expanded series	Cents	25.88	25.87	25.92	32.28	31.16	30.55
Mill margins for the expanded series	Cents	40.54	40.42	40.09	35.36	36.13	36.77
BLS wholesale price index							
All commodities	1957-59 = 100	106.0	105.7	105.3	108.0	108.2	108.4
Cotton broadwoven goods	do.	102.1	101.6	101.0	103.8		
Index of industrial production							
Overall including utilities (adjusted)	1957-59 = 100	156.6	156.4	156.5	161.9	162.7	162.7
Textiles, apparel and leather products (adjusted)	do.	137.6	135.5	135.5	142.0	142.9	144.0
Personal income payments (adjusted)	Billion dollars	612.6	615.6	616.5	659.4	666.5	670.1
Retail store sales (apparel group, adjusted)	Million dollars	1,476	1,443	1,585	1,586	1,645	
Mill consumption of all kinds of cotton 4/	1,000 bales	749.0	5/905.7	748.5	728.7	721.4	5/843.8
Mill consumption of all kinds of cotton since August 1	1,000 bales	5,611.4	6,517.1	7,265.6	5,468.2	6,189.6	7,033.4
Mill consumption, daily rate (unadjusted)	1,000 bales	37.4	36.2	37.4	36.4	36.1	33.8
Mill consumption, daily rate (adjusted)	1,000 bales	36.3	35.5	36.7	35.3	35.3	33.1
Spindles in place end of month in cotton system	Thousands	20,509	20,478	20,544	20,734	20,587	20,583
Spindles consuming 100 percent cotton	Thousands	15,329	15,264	15,317	14,131	13,960	13,827
Spindles idle	Thousands	670	696	530	592	476	439
Gross hourly earnings in broadwoven goods 6/	Dollars	2.02	2.02	2.02	2.15	2.15	
Mill stocks/unfilled orders, cotton broadwoven goods 7/	Percent	29	32	33	42	42	
Exports of cotton	1,000 bales	458.2	401.4	288.2	447.2	436.3	
Exports of cotton since August 1	1,000 bales	3,036.2	3,437.5	3,725.7	2,345.7	2,782.1	
Imports of cotton	Bales	5,422	4,579	3,340	3,034	2,760	
Imports of cotton since August 1	Bales	71,382	75,962	79,302	136,366	139,126	
Mill stocks end of month	1,000 bales	1,902.2	2,013.4	2,015.3	1,906.7	1,994.3	2,044.0
Stocks, public storage, etc.	1,000 bales	14,992.2	13,821.0	12,698.9	9,007.6	7,948.6	6,953.0
Exports, cotton textiles 8/	1,000 bales	30.5	34.6	32.8	33.4	28.3	
Exports, cotton textiles since August 1 8/	1,000 bales	233.7	268.3	301.1	229.0	257.3	
Imports, cotton textiles 8/	1,000 bales	68.6	88.3	78.6	84.7	75.6	
Imports, cotton textiles since August 1 8/	1,000 bales	630.1	718.4	789.0	534.3	609.9	
Man-made fiber prices							
Viscose yarn, 150 denier	Dollars	0.85	0.85	0.85	0.85	0.88	
Rayon staple viscose							
Regular, 1.5 denier	Dollars	0.28	0.28	0.28	0.28	0.28	0.28
Modified, 1.5 and 3.0 denier	Dollars	0.36	0.36	0.36	0.36	0.36	0.36
Non-cellulosic staple							
Polyester, 1.5 denier	Dollars	0.72	0.72	0.72	0.61	0.61	0.61
Acrylic, 2.0 denier	Dollars	1.06	1.06	1.06	0.89	0.89	0.89

1/ Preliminary. 2/ Mid-month. 3/ Effective following month. 4/ 4-week period except as noted. 5/ 5-week period. 6/ Cotton broadwoven fabrics. 7/ Adjusted for seasonal variation. 8/ Equivalent raw cotton.

The Cotton Situation

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SUMMARY*

Disappearance of cotton during 1967/68 is expected to total around 13.4 million bales. This would be about 5-3/4 million more than the small 1967 crop (plus imports and city crop). As a result, stocks next August 1 likely will be about 6-3/4 million bales (6-1/2 million of upland cotton).

Commodity Credit Corporation cotton stocks also are declining sharply this marketing year. With disappearance much larger than the 1967 crop, market prices for most qualities have been well above loan rates. Most of the 1967 crop has moved into marketing channels and sales from the CCC inventory have been large. CCC acquisitions from the 1967 crop probably will fall below 0.5 million bales and the unsold inventory likely will be nominal (excluding cotton sold for delivery after July 31). As a result, private stocks of upland cotton may total around 6.0 million bales next August 1, only about 0.7 million bales below last August's large free stocks.

Prospects for mill consumption and exports of cotton during 1967/68 have not changed in recent months. Projected total mill use for 1967/68 remains a little over 9.1 million bales (9.0 million of upland cotton). The daily rate of cotton mill use trended upward slightly January through March, but declined in April. In

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recent months, unfilled orders for cotton cloth have been declining sharply in relation to inventories--causing the ratio of inventories to unfilled orders to rise. This may signal a continued reduction in the rate of use in future months.

U.S. cotton exports generally have continued to gain in recent months in relation to year-earlier levels. They still are expected to total about 4.2 million bales for the full crop year. Exports of 2.8 million bales during August-March were about 0.6 million bales below the year-earlier level. Shipments during coming months may be slightly larger than a year earlier. Import needs of foreign countries may increase, since consumption in most major-importing countries has been cutting into their stocks. Continuing shipments abroad of U.S. cotton which was sold earlier in the season will also help maintain exports.

Final ginnings from the 1967 crop totaled about 7,435,000 running bales (including about 68,000 bales of American-Egyptian cotton). This is down over 2 million bales from 1966 ginnings and reflects a sharp decline in harvested acreage and average yield.

Value of lint from the 1967 crop was almost as high as the previous year, because of a higher average price received by growers. While 1967 cotton lint production was down over 20 percent from 1966, the value of lint (excluding payments) declined only about 4 percent--to $954 million for the 1967 crop. The preliminary average price received by growers for the 1967 crop was 25.6 cents per pound, up over a fifth from 20.84 cents for the 1966 crop. Total direct price support and diversion payments to growers increased nearly 21 percent in 1967. As a result, the combined value of lint and payments for the 1967 crop was up over 6 percent from 1966.

The 1967 crop of American-Egyptian cotton totaled about 68,000 running bales, down from 71,000 bales for the 1966 crop. The decline in production reflected a reduction in the acreage allotment and harvested acreage, since the average yield was higher for the 1967 crop. The production decline and a slightly lower average price resulted in a smaller crop value for 1967--$16.1 million, compared with $17.0 million in 1966. The average price received by growers, at 48.2 cents per pound, was down slightly from 48.7 cents in 1966.

Spot market prices and the average price received by growers for upland cotton have continued to trend lower in recent months. Apparently, this price weakness reflects a further slackening of trade and speculative demand. Prices for most qualities still have remained well above year-earlier levels. For example, the average spot market price for Middling 1-1/16 inch cotton in April was about 30.86 cents per pound. This was down about 4 cents from last December, but about 6 cents above April 1967. For Middling 15/16 inch cotton, where the supply has been larger in relation to demand, the average spot market price was about 20.14 cents per pound in April. This was about 2 cents below last December but about the same as April 1967.

RECENT DEVELOPMENTS AND OUTLOOK

DISAPPEARANCE AND SUPPLY

1967/68 Cotton Use Prospects Same

Although the daily rate of cotton consumption showed a moderate upward trend January through March, it declined in April. (See table 10, and "Situation at a Glance," page 2.) If the uptrend had continued, total consumption for 1967/68 would have been above the current estimate of a little over 9.1 million bales. However, recent advances in the inventory/unfilled order ratio for cotton cloth indicate a possible slowdown in the rate of cotton use during the remainder of this year. (See table 1.) Although inventories of cloth have shown little change, unfilled orders have fallen in recent months. Increases in the ratio usually signal a future turndown in the rate of cotton use. Thus, projected total consumption for 1967/68 remains at a little over 9.1 million bales (9.0 million of upland cotton). In 1966/67, total consumption was 9.5 million bales.

A sharp rise in the rate of use of man-made fibers also is moderating the upward trend in cotton consumption. (See table 11.) Sharp advances in cotton prices this crop year and tightening of supplies of some qualities (particularly of the longer staples) are resulting in intense competition between cotton and man-made fibers. Competition among the various staple lengths of cotton is also in-

creasing and the use of short and medium staples is expected to advance. (See tables 2 and 3.)

Another factor contributing to smaller cotton consumption this year is a reduction in purchases of cotton textiles by the military forces. Based on data for August through February, delivery of cotton textiles for all of 1967/68 may total about 0.1 million equivalent bales below 1966/67. Also, cotton textile imports are at a relatively high level. (See tables 12 through 18.)

U.S. Cotton Export Prospects Unchanged

Cotton exports generally have gained in recent months, exceeding those of a year earlier. However, August-March exports were 0.6 million bales below the year-earlier level of 3.4 million bales. (See tables 19 and 20.) Exports during the remaining months of the crop year are likely to show a slight further gain in relation to last year. Total 1967/68 exports still are projected at 4.2 million bales.

U.S. exports may be stimulated during the remaining months of the season by higher import requirements by foreign countries. Available data indicate that consumption of cotton in most major-importing countries has been running well above imports. With stocks at a relatively low level in these countries, imports during the remaining months of the season likely will be more in line with consumption requirements. Also, more competitive prices for some U.S.-grown cotton and declining availability of competitive foreign-grown cotton may help maintain U.S. cotton exports.

Small Crop and Above-Average Disappearance Causing Sharp Stock Reduction

Final ginnings from the 1967 crop totaled about 7,435,000 running bales (including about 68,000 bales of American-Egyptian cotton). This is down sharply from 1966 ginnings of 9,562,000 bales. Both harvested acreage and the average yield fell sharply for the 1967 crop. (See tables 21 and 22.)

Table 1.--Cotton broadwoven goods at U.S. cotton mills: Ratio of stocks to unfilled orders, seasonally adjusted, January 1964 to date 1/

Month	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968
Jan.	0.46	0.27	0.20	0.26	0.37
Feb.	.50	.25	.19	.29	.42
Mar.	.53	.23	.18	.32	.42
Apr.	.55	.21	.17	.33	
May	.54	.20	.17	.37	
June	.47	.20	.17	.40	
July	.43	.21	.17	.41	
Aug.	.40	.21	.18	.36	
Sept.	.37	.21	.18	.37	
Oct.	.35	.22	.21	.38	
Nov.	.31	.22	.23	.34	
Dec.	.30	.23	.25	.35	

1/ End of month.

Based on data from American Textile Manufacturers Institute, Inc.

Table 2.- American upland cotton: Mill consumption by staple length, by month, January 1968 to date

Year and month	Mill consumption reported by staple length									Total consumption 1/
	Less than 1"		1" and 1-1/32"		1-1/16" and 1-3/32"		Longer than 1-3/32"		Total	
	Quantity	Share of total	Quantity	Share of total	Quantity	Share of total	Quantity	Share of total	Quantity	
	Bales	Pct.	Bales	Pct.	Bales	Pct.	Bales	Pct.	Bales	Bales
1968										
Jan.	107,076	12.9	230,076	27.8	449,594	54.3	41,390	5.0	828,136	865,708
Feb.	88,547	12.9	188,131	27.4	379,754	55.3	30,162	4.4	686,594	716,241
Mar.	85,863	12.6	183,346	26.9	378,021	55.6	33,432	4.9	680,662	709,315
Apr. 2/	102,005	12.8	214,995	27.0	439,299	55.1	41,107	5.1	797,406	830,301
Total	383,491	12.8	816,548	27.3	1,646,668	55.0	146,091	4.9	2,992,798	3,121,565

1/ Includes data for which breakdown by staple length was not obtained. 2/ Preliminary.

Bureau of the Census, as reported by mills.

Table 3.--American upland cotton: Carryover, ginnings, supply, disappearance, and CCC inventory, by staple length, 1961-68

Year beginning August 1	Shorter than 1 inch		1 inch and 1-1/32 inches		1-1/16 inches and over		All staple lengths
	Quantity	Percentage of total	Quantity	Percentage of total	Quantity	Percentage of total	Quantity
	1,000 bales	Percent	1,000 bales	Percent	1,000 bales	Percent	1,000 bales
			Carryover				
1961	598	9	3,030	43	3,450	48	7,078
1962	1,378	18	2,154	28	4,193	54	7,725
1963	2,855	26	3,189	29	4,961	45	11,005
1964	3,686	31	4,253	35	4,171	34	12,110
1965	4,339	31	4,576	33	5,103	36	14,018
1966	5,933	36	5,790	35	4,842	29	16,565
1967	4,961	40	4,178	34	3,131	26	12,270
1968 1/	2,958	46	1,718	27	1,760	27	2/6,436
			Ginnings				
1961	3,854	27	3,075	22	7,334	51	14,263
1962	3,842	26	3,645	25	7,267	49	14,754
1963	3,872	26	4,199	28	7,058	46	15,129
1964	3,439	23	4,338	29	7,255	48	15,032
1965	3,999	27	3,555	24	7,293	49	14,847
1966	2,555	27	1,643	17	5.293	56	9,491
1967 1/	1,693	23	1,104	15	4,569	62	7,366
			Supply 3/				
1961	4,452	21	6,105	29	10,784	50	21,341
1962	5,220	23	5,799	26	11,460	51	22,479
1963	6,729	26	7,388	28	12,017	46	26,134
1964	7,126	26	8,591	32	11,426	42	27,143
1965	8,338	29	8,131	28	12,396	43	28,865
1966	8,488	33	7,433	28	10,135	39	26,056
1967 1/	6,654	34	5,282	27	7,700	39	2/19,636
			Disappearance 4/				
1961	3,074	23	3,951	29	6,591	48	13,616
1962	2,365	21	2,610	23	6,499	56	11,474
1963	3,042	22	3,135	22	7,846	56	14,023
1964	2,786	21	4,015	31	6,323	48	13,124
1965	2,405	20	2,341	19	7,554	61	12,300
1966	3,567	26	3,289	24	7,030	50	13,886
1967 1/	3,696	28	3,564	27	5,940	45	13,200
			CCC Inventory				
1961	3	--	211	15	1,232	85	1,446
1962	678	14	1,127	24	2,883	62	4,688
1963	2,300	29	1,970	24	3,746	47	8,017
1964	3,362	33	3,099	30	3,771	37	10,232
1965	3,904	34	4,033	36	3,460	30	11,397
1966	4,814	40	4,513	37	2,750	23	12,077
1967 5/	3,900	70	1,390	25	310	5	5,600

1/ Estimated and preliminary.
2/ Does not include imports and city crop.
3/ Carryover at beginning of season, plus ginnings.
4/ Supply minus carryover at end of season.
5/ Rounded to nearest thousand bales. Does not include cotton sold for delivery on August 1.

Compiled from reports of Consumer and Marketing Service and Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service.

Combined mill consumption and exports in 1967/68 are expected to total about 13.4 million bales for all kinds of cotton. This would be about 0.8 million bales below 1966/67 disappearance, but 0.2 million above the 1961-65 average. (See table 23.)

Disappearance of cotton in 1967/68 is expected to exceed the 1967 crop (plus imports and city crop) by about 5-3/4 million bales. Stocks next August 1 likely will be reduced to about 6-3/4 million bales (6-1/2 million of upland cotton).

DOMESTIC MARKET DEVELOPMENTS

1967 Yield and Acreage Reduced Sharply By Adverse Growing Conditions

The 1967 national average yield per harvested acre fell to 447 pounds, according to the Crop Reporting Board. This was 33 pounds below the 1966 yield and 44 pounds below the 1961-65 average. Yields in most States fell below their 1961-65 averages. Texas, Louisiana, and South Carolina were the only major-producing States to record above-average yields. (See tables 22 and 24.)

Both acreage and yield were reduced by adverse growing conditions in 1967. The 1967 planting season was the worst on record in many areas. Along with increased diversion under the 1967/68 upland cotton program, this resulted in planted acreage of only about 9.4 million acres--down 9 percent from 1966. Large abandonment reduced harvested acrage to 8.0 million acres--the smallest since 1869.

Sharply higher cotton acreage is expected for the 1968 crop. Indicated plantings of 11.1 million acres are over 17 percent above 1967 planted acreage. If growing and harvesting conditions are more nearly normal, harvested acreage in 1968 will show a sharper increase from 1967 than indicated by plantings. Larger acreage in prospect for 1968 also reflects changes in the 1968/69 upland cotton program to encourage additional plantings and larger production in 1968.

1967 Cotton Crop Value Lower; Prices and Payments Higher

The value of lint from the 1967 cotton crop totaled about $954 million, down slightly from $998 million or about 4 percent from 1966. (See table 27.) Direct price support and diversion payments to producers of about $935 million were up from $774 million in 1966. Thus, the combined value of lint and payments in 1967 amounted to about $1,889 million, up over 6 percent from 1966.

The decline in lint value for 1967 reflected smaller marketings. The preliminary average price received by growers for the 1967 crop was 25.6 cents per pound, up from 20.84 cents for the 1966 crop. The support price for the 1967 crop (average of the crop) is 19.47 cents per pound, compared with 20.21 cents for the 1966 crop.

With prices well above loan rates, most of the 1967 crop has moved into the market. As of April 1, 1968, about 86 percent of the 1967 crop had been sold by producers. (See table 28.) This compares with about 76 percent of the 1966 crop sold by the same date a year earlier.

CCC Stocks Small

Net loan entries from the 1967 crop totaled only 0.8 million bales of upland cotton as of May 10. However, the last day that cotton could be placed under loan has been extended from April 30 to May 31. This action was taken to extend the benefits of price supports to producers in areas where weather delayed cotton harvesting. Cotton farmers have until July 31, 1968, to redeem their 1967 cotton from the Commodity Credit Corporation.

Sales of CCC inventory of upland cotton have been large this season. Sales for 1967/68 delivery under Announcement NO-C-31 amounted to 7.5 million bales as of May 15. Sales under this program for delivery after July 31, 1968, totaled 0.5 million bales. In mid-May, after deducting cotton sold for delayed delivery, only 0.1 million bales were left in CCC inventory. (See table 29.) Thus, CCC-owned upland cotton plus loan cotton amounted to only about 0.9 million bales. (See tables 30 and 31.)

Spot Market Prices Further Weaken

The average spot market price for upland cotton has trended downward since December 1967, although prices for most qualities remained well above a year earlier. Weaker speculative and trade demand have contributed to lower prices over the past several months.

The average spot market price for Middling 1-inch cotton in April was 25.06 cents per pound. This is slightly below 25.21 cents in March, but up from 22.17 cents in April 1967. (See table 4.) The average price for this quality ranged from 22.77 cents in August 1967 to 27.02 cents in December. With tighter supplies and greater demand for longer staples, prices showed wide movements. For example, Middling 1-1/16 inch cotton ranged from an average price of 26.19 cents per pound last August to 34.81 cents in December. In contrast, prices for shorter staples, where supplies were larger in relation to demand, generally moved within a narrow range. Middling 15/16 inch cotton was at a low of 20.01 cents last October and at a high of 22.00 cents in December. (See tables 4, 32 and 33.)

The average price received by farmers also trended lower in the past several months, partly because of seasonal movements. The average price received for upland cotton in April was 19.58 cents per pound. The average monthly price was at a high of 30.48 cents in November 1967. (See table 4.) In addition to the market price, most producers received a price support payment of 11.53 cents per pound on 65 percent of their effective allotment times the projected yield. The price support payment in 1966 was 9.42 cents. The price support loan for the 1967 crop of upland cotton (average of the crop) is 19.47 cents, compared with 20.21 cents for the 1966 crop. (See table 5.) For the 1968 crop, the average support price will be 19.69 cents per pound, while the price support payment has been set at 12.24 cents per pound.

Cotton Fabric Prices Steady; Blended Fabric Prices Decline

The average wholesale value of the fabric (expanded series) produced from a pound of cotton was 67.32 cents in April. This was up slightly from 67.29 cents in March and about 2 cents per pound above the year-earlier level. The average price paid by mills for raw cotton used in cotton fabric continued to decline from the peak reached last December, although it remains well above a year ago. Although mill margins have been advancing since last December, they have remained below the same months of 1967. (See table 6.)

Average prices for blended fabric (65 percent polyester and 35 percent cotton) trended downward in March and April, but remained substantially above the same months of 1967. The average cloth value in April was 115.67 cents per pound. Although down about 3 cents from March, it was about 6 cents above April 1967. Mill margins for the 4 constructions of blended fabric declined sharply during March and April as a result of the declining cloth values. Blended fiber prices trended down slightly. (See table 6.)

Parity Price Up for Upland Cotton

The April parity price for upland cotton was 44.41 cents per pound. This is up from 44.03 cents for March and 42.11 cents for April 1967. (See table 7.) The increase resulted mainly from an increase in the parity index. The parity index for April was 353, compared with 350 in March and 340 for April 1967. The adjusted base price, at 12.58 cents per pound in April, was also slightly higher than the 12.35 cents for April 1967.

The parity price for upland cotton is computed by multiplying the adjusted base price by the parity index. The parity price computed from mid-month data is the legally applicable price for the next month. For example, the parity price in effect for May was computed by multiplying 12.58 cents per pound (adjusted base price) by 3.53 (April 15 parity index), which is equal to 44.41 cents per pound.

The adjusted base price is the average price received by farmers for upland cotton during the 10 calendar years preceding the year for which the parity price is being computed, adjusted to include an allowance for price support payments, divided by the average index of prices received by all farmers for all farm commodities for the same period, also adjusted to include an allowance for price support payments. The parity index (prices paid, interest, taxes, and farm wage rates) is computed each month, based on prices paid by farmers in the middle of that month.

Legislation currently in effect for upland cotton requires that the price support loan plus the price support payment to the producer reflect at least 65 percent of parity on the cotton produced within the permitted acreage. The permitted acreage (other than under the small farm provision) is 95 percent of the farm's effective acreage allotment for the 1968 crop, compared with 87.5 percent in 1967.

Table 4.--Cotton: American Middling White, spot prices in designated U.S. markets, loan rates, and prices received by farmers for upland cotton, August 1964 to date

Year beginning August 1	Average spot market prices per pound 1/					Prices per pound received by farmers for upland cotton 2/
	15/16 inch	1 inch	1-1/32 inches	1-1/16 inches	1-3/32 inches	
	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents
1964						
August	29.82	31.20	32.00	32.75	33.14	30.57
September	29.32	30.67	31.43	32.21	32.70	30.63
October	29.23	30.58	31.35	32.14	32.69	30.95
November	29.23	30.58	31.45	32.23	32.80	30.12
December	29.23	30.57	31.56	32.25	32.82	29.30
January	29.24	30.56	31.60	32.29	32.83	27.71
February	29.30	30.63	31.65	32.34	32.88	27.54
March	29.38	30.72	31.76	32.44	32.98	28.60
April	29.43	30.77	31.83	32.51	33.05	29.24
May	29.50	30.84	31.89	32.57	33.13	29.88
June	29.57	30.91	31.96	32.64	33.20	30.13
July	29.35	30.69	31.74	32.42	33.25	30.01
Average	29.39	30.73	31.69	32.40	32.94	3/29.62
Loan rates 4/	28.90	30.20	31.00	31.60	32.30	5/29.30
1965						
August	28.64	29.98	30.98	31.67	32.36	28.90
September	28.37	29.72	30.69	31.42	32.01	29.48
October	28.30	29.68	30.67	31.48	32.07	29.39
November	28.21	29.62	30.61	31.36	31.94	29.02
December	28.12	29.53	30.48	31.22	31.84	27.91
January	28.10	29.51	30.50	31.30	31.94	26.62
February	28.06	29.46	30.42	31.30	31.96	26.89
March	28.06	29.46	30.44	31.37	31.99	27.61
April	28.09	29.49	30.50	31.47	32.07	28.24
May	28.13	29.57	30.63	31.60	32.22	28.41
June	28.13	29.60	30.71	31.71	32.37	29.34
July	28.13	29.60	30.68	31.68	32.37	29.72
Average	28.19	29.60	30.61	31.46	32.09	3/28.03
Loan rates 4/	27.76	29.11	29.96	30.66	31.41	5/28.31
1966						
August	20.54	22.04	23.11	24.09	24.76	21.17
September	20.34	21.86	22.94	23.95	24.61	21.17
October	20.32	21.83	22.93	23.96	24.62	22.45
November	20.28	21.84	22.94	24.18	24.83	21.89
December	20.17	21.92	23.02	24.52	25.17	21.96
January	20.12	21.97	23.12	24.78	25.44	19.79
February	19.94	22.01	23.17	24.95	25.62	20.21
March	19.94	22.08	23.21	24.99	25.67	20.45
April	19.99	22.17	23.33	25.06	25.74	20.43
May	20.07	22.23	23.41	25.11	25.80	19.70
June	20.18	22.40	23.59	25.37	26.08	20.34
July	20.42	22.57	23.81	25.71	26.41	20.92
Average	20.20	22.08	23.22	24.73	25.40	3/20.64
Loan rates 4/	19.71	21.11	22.06	22.91	23.51	5/20.21
1967						
August	20.37	22.77	24.16	26.19	26.89	21.99
September	20.15	23.22	24.91	27.13	27.83	21.27
October	20.01	23.40	25.95	28.49	29.26	27.26
November	20.74	24.98	29.79	32.55	33.58	30.48
December	22.00	27.02	32.40	34.81	35.86	27.61
January	21.17	26.19	30.60	33.12	33.99	22.38
February	20.42	25.40	29.30	31.87	32.80	19.90
March	20.29	25.21	28.75	31.40	32.30	19.35
April	20.14	25.06	28.45	30.86	31.75	19.58
May						
June						
July						
Average						
Loan rates 4/	17.81	20.36	21.61	22.91	23.76	5/19.47

1/ Prices include equalization payments which were eliminated August 1, 1966. 2/ Excludes domestic allotment payments, price support and diversion payments. 3/ Weighted average. 4/ Spot market loan rates exclude 13-point premium in 1964, 14-point premium in 1965, 20-point premium in 1966, and 30-point premium in 1967 for 3.5-4.9 micronaire. Spot prices are for cotton with micronaire readings of 3.5 through 4.9. 5/ Average of the crop.

Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, Consumer and Marketing Service, and Statistical Reporting Service.

Table 5.--Cotton loan rates: Percent of parity, cents per pound, 1956-68

Crop year beginning August 1	Parity percentage 1/	Loan rate		
		Middling 7/8 inch	Middling 1 inch	Average of the crop
	Percent	Cents per pound	Cents per pound	Cents per pound
1956	82.5	29.34	32.74	---
1957	78.0	28.81	32.31	---
1958	81.0	31.23	35.08	---
1959 2/	80.0--A	30.40--A	34.10--A	
	65.0--B	24.70--B	28.40--B	---
1960 2/	75.0--A	28.97--A	32.42--A	
	60.0--B	23.18--B	26.63--B	---
1961	82.0	30.14	33.04	31.88
1962	82.0	30.17	32.47	31.88
1963	79.0	30.27	32.47	31.72
1964	72.0	27.70	30.00	29.30
1965	69.0	26.70	29100	28.31
1966 3/		18.65	21.00	20.21
1967 3/		16.65	20.25	19.47
1968 3/		16.65	20.25	19.69

1/ Applies to Middling 7/8 inch cotton, 1956-60. 1961 to date applies to average of the crop. 2/ Choice A-Purchase rate; Choice B-Loan rate. 3/ Does not include direct price support payments to producers. These payments are in an amount which, when added to the average loan rate, reflect not less than 65 percent of parity on the projected yield multiplied by permitted acreage (87.5 percent of the acreage allotment in 1966 and 1967 and 95.0 percent in 1968).

Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service.

1967 American-Egyptian Crop

The 1967 crop of American-Egyptian cotton totaled about 68,000 running bales--down from 71,000 for the 1966 crop. The 1967 crop was produced on 66,400 acres, compared with 78,000 acres for the 1966 crop. The smaller acreage reflects the reduction in allotments for the 1967 crop of American-Egyptian cotton. The average yield per harvested acre for the 1967 crop was 502 pounds. This was 55 pounds more than in 1966, but 46 pounds below the 1961-65 average. (See tables 22 and 24.)

The preliminary average price received by farmers for the 1967 crop of American-Egyptian cotton averaged 48.2 cents per pound, compared with 48.7 cents for the 1966 crop. The value of the 1967 crop of American-Egyptian cotton lint totaled about $16.1 million compared with $17.0 million in 1966. (See tables 8 and 27.)

A national acreage allotment of 70,500 acres has been set for the 1968 crop of extra-long staple cotton, the same as for the 1967 crop. The average 1967 loan rate for extra-long staple is 47.00 cents per pound. The loan rate has not been announced for the 1968 crop, due to pending legislation to change the price support program for extra-long staple cotton.

The extra-long staple cotton program includes American-Egyptain, Sea Island, and Sealand cotton. American-Egyptian is grown mainly in the irrigated sections of southwest Texas, New Mexico, Arizona, and California.

Cotton Linters Use and Supply Lower for 1967/68

U.S. consumption of cotton linters during the current season is expected to be the smallest since the 1946/47 season. For the first 9 months of 1967/68, consumption totaled 0.8 million bales. This was 9 percent below the same period of 1966/67. Consumption for the 1967/68 season is expected to total around 1.0 million bales, compared with about 1.2 million for last year. (See table 34.) Relatively high prices during the past 2 seasons have caused some users of linters (particularly of chemical linters) to switch to substitutes such as wood pulp. For the first 9 months of the 1967/68 season, use of felting linters was about the same as for the previous season, while chemical linters use declined nearly 18 percent.

Exports of cotton linters for the first 8 months of 1967/68 were about the same as during the year-earlier period. Exports for the 1967/68 season are expected to total near the 179,000 bales for 1966/67.

Linters production is expected to total around 0.9 million bales during 1967/68, down from 1.1 million in 1966 /67. The decline is due to the reduced 1967/68 cotton crop. In line with reduced consumption, imports of linters for the first 8 months of the current season also are sharply below the same period of last year.

Table 6.--Cloth values, raw fiber prices, and mill margins for unfinished cotton carded yarn goods and blended fabric (polyester and cotton), August 1966 to date

Year and month	Cotton fabric 1/			Blended fabric 2/		
	Fabric values 3/	Price of raw cotton 4/	Mill margins 5/	Fabric values 3/	Price of raw fibers 6/	Mill margins 5/
	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents
1966						
August	66.79	25.11	41.68	129.05	65.30	63.75
September	67.11	24.88	42.23	126.55	62.00	64.55
October	67.16	24.81	42.35	123.04	57.28	65.76
November	67.18	24.95	42.23	122.64	57.49	65.15
December	66.76	25.49	41.27	115.39	58.17	57.22
January	66.45	25.76	40.69	114.20	58.56	55.64
February	66.42	25.88	40.54	111.45	58.76	52.69
March	66.29	25.87	40.42	110.03	58.75	51.28
April	66.01	25.92	40.09	109.89	58.71	51.18
May	65.40	25.81	39.59	99.03	49.56	49.47
June	64.38	26.05	38.33	92.63	49.60	43.03
July	64.14	26.24	37.90	92.81	49.66	43.15
Average	66.18	25.56	40.62	112.23	56.99	55.24
1967						
August	63.87	26.64	37.23	99.00	49.80	49.20
September	63.90	27.26	36.64	105.81	50.09	55.72
October	63.91	28.16	35.75	113.18	50.50	62.68
November	65.27	31.84	33.43	119.03	52.18	66.85
December	67.50	35.14	32.36	123.65	54.33	69.32
January	67.71	33.99	33.72	125.50	53.58	71.91
February	67.64	32.28	35.36	126.54	53.00	73.54
March	67.29	31.16	36.13	118.65	52.68	65.97
April	67.32	30.55	36.77	115.67	52.42	63.25

1/ Expanded construction series. 2/ 65 percent polyester-35 percent cotton (average of 4 constructions). 3/ The estimated value of fabric obtainable from a pound of raw fiber. 4/ Monthly average prices per pound for four territory growths, even running lots, prompt shipments, delivered at Group 201 (Group B) mill points including landing costs and brokerage. 5/ Difference between fabric values and fiber prices. 6/ Monthly average prices per pound for polyester and raw cotton delivered at mills.

Consumer and Marketing Service.

Consumption and exports may exceed production and imports by about 0.2 million bales in 1967/68. August 1 stocks are expected to total around 0.4 million bales--the lowest since 1951.

Prices for most qualities of cotton linters have weakened in recent months, after reaching their highest levels last season since the early 1950's. (See table 35.) The price for chemical linters (73 percent cellulose base) during April was 4.00 cents per pound. This was unchanged from March, but 2 cents below April 1967. The decline in prices for felting linters has been more moderate. The price for Grade 4, Staple 4 linters for April was 7.94 cents. This compared with 8.06 cents in March and 8.38 in April 1967.

WORLD DEVELOPMENTS AND OUTLOOK

Foreign Free-World Cotton Crop Lower; Consumption Prospects Weaken Slightly

Foreign Free-World cotton production estimates for 1967/68 have dropped in recent

Table 7.--Upland cotton: Legally applicable parity price, monthly, August 1964 to date 1/

Month	1964/65	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68
	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents
Aug.	40.62	42.02	42.72	43.16
Sept.	40.75	41.76	42.85	42.91
Oct.	40.75	41.76	43.10	43.03
Nov.	40.62	41.89	43.10	43.16
Dec.	40.75	41.89	43.10	43.03
Jan.	40.75	42.15	43.10	43.16
Feb.	41.27	41.82	41.99	43.53
Mar.	41.40	42.08	41.87	43.78
Apr.	41.40	42.33	41.99	44.03
May	41.66	42.59	42.11	44.41
June	42.02	42.59	42.78	
July	42.02	42.59	42.91	

1/ Effective parity based on data collected in preceding month.
Statistical Reporting Service.

Table 8.--Cotton, American-Egyptian: Average price received by farmers, by months, August 1964 to date

Month	1964/65	1965/66	1966/67	1967/68
	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents
August	---	---	---	---
September	---	---	---	---
October	49.8	49.8	48.8	45.6
November	49.8	50.2	48.4	50.8
December	49.2	49.0	47.5	49.8
January	47.7	46.7	47.6	46.5
February	41.9	45.4	47.3	45.8
March	48.1	41.8	49.4	42.5
April	50.0	49.6	50.8	48.3
May	51.1	48.9	50.1	
June	41.8	48.9	51.0	
July	49.3	50.2	51.0	
Average 1/	49.1	48.1	48.7	2/48.2

1/ Weighted average. 2/ Season average to April 1, 1968.
Statistical Reporting Service.

months to a total of about 23.2 million bales. But the Foreign Agricultural Service estimate is still above the 1966/67 output of 22.8 million bales and near the record 23.5 million in 1965/66. (See table 9.) Earlier estimates for Mexico, Nicaragua, Nigeria, and Uganda were reduced.

Prospects for 1967/68 cotton consumption in foreign Free-World countries also have weakened slightly in recent months. But use is still expected to exceed the record high consumption of 1966/67. Projected 1967/68 use of 26.0 million bales compares with 25.4 million for 1966/67. (See table 9.) Cotton consumption in India and Japan is expected to be substantially higher than in the previous season.

Cotton consumption in 16 principal foreign Free-World importing countries during the early months of the 1967/68 season was down about 1 percent from the same period of 1966/67, according to the FAS. Of these importing countries, only Denmark, Japan, and Sweden used more cotton during this period than a year earlier. Textile activity has been at a high level in Japan, where 1967/68 cotton consumption is expected to be near record levels. Consumption prospects in some Western European countries have improved in recent weeks, but total use for 1967/68 is not expected to equal use in the past season.

Stocks of cotton in major importing countries were reduced by around 20 percent in the first half of 1967/68, as consumption in these countries exceeded imports. Imports during the last half of the season are likely to be at least as large as mill consumption, given the low level of raw cotton stocks. Also, cotton purchased in large quantities early in the season by some importing countries will likely be shipped during the last half of 1967/68.

Import Prices Decline, But Still Above Last Year

Import market price quotations for most qualities of U.S. and foreign cotton have continued to decline in recent weeks. However, they are still above year-earlier levels. C.i.f. Liverpool price quotations for U.S. Strict Middling 1-1/16 inch cotton recently have declined nearly 5 cents from the high level of December 1967, although they remain about 4 cents above the same months of last year. This season, prices have fluctuated more for U.S.-grown cotton than foreign growths.

Prices of U.S. Strict Middling 1-1/16 inch, c.i.f. Liverpool, averaged 32.80 cents a pound during April, compared with 33.64 cents in March and 28.93 cents for April 1967. The average price for Mexican-grown cotton of the same grade and staple averaged 31.75 cents in April, compared with 32.20 cents in March and 29.98 cents in April 1967. (See tables 36 and 37.)

U.S. and foreign average spot export prices are shown in table 38.

Table 9.--Cotton: Supply and distribution in the foreign Free World, 1964-67

Item	Year beginning August 1			
	1964	1965	1966 1/	1967 2/
	Million bales	Million bales	Million bales	Million bales
Starting carryover 3/	10.2	10.3	10.3	10.9
Production	23.0	23.5	22.8	23.2
Imports from United States	4.0	2.9	4.6	4.1
Total supply	37.2	36.7	37.7	38.2
Consumption	25.0	24.9	25.4	26.0
Exports to United States, net exports to Communist countries, and destroyed	1.9	1.5	1.4	1.4
Total disappearance	26.8	26.4	26.8	27.4
Ending carryover	10.3	10.3	10.9	10.8

1/ Preliminary, 2/ Estimated. 3/ Includes cotton afloat, in transit, and in free ports.

Foreign Agricultural Service.

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Table 10.--Upland cotton: Daily rate of mill consumption, unadjusted and seasonally adjusted, August 1965 to date

Month	1965/66		1966/67 1/		1967/68 1/	
	Unadjusted	Adjusted 2/	Unadjusted	Adjusted 2/	Unadjusted	Adjusted 2/
	Bales 3/	Bales 3/	Bales 3/	Bales 3/	Bales 3/	Bales 3/
August	36,079	34,960	37,901	36,726	35,598	34,494
September	34,838	34,699	36,748	36,638	33,570	33,470
October	36,519	35,455	38,527	37,369	36,726	35,622
November	36,951	35,805	37,445	36,319	35,421	34,356
December	32,745	35,865	33,605	36,848	32,530	35,669
January	37,085	36,465	37,925	37,291	34,705	34,125
February	37,079	35,791	36,916	35,633	*35,903	*34,655
March	37,320	36,304	35,717	34,744	*35,554	*34,586
April	37,356	36,659	36,881	36,193	33,283	32,662
May	37,921	36,498	36,034	34,681		
June	36,903	36,429	35,026	34,577		
July	30,661	36,588	27,713	33,070		

1/ Preliminary.
2/ See March 1967 Cotton Situation, CS-229, for seasonal adjustment factors.
3/ Running bales.

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Bureau of the Census.

Table 11.--Man-made staple fiber: Daily rate of mill consumption on cotton-system spinning spindles, unadjusted and seasonally adjusted, August 1965 to date

Month	1965/66				1966/67 1/				1967/68 1/			
	Rayon and acetate		Non-cellulosic 2/		Rayon and acetate		Non-cellulosic 2/		Rayon and acetate		Non-cellulosic 2/	
	Unadj.	Adj. 3/	Unadj.	Adj. 3/	Unadj.	Adj. 3/	Unadj.	Adj. 3/	Unadj.	Adj. 3/	Unadj.	Adj. 3/
	1,000 lb.		1,000 lb.		1,000 lb.		1,000 lb.		1,000 lb.		1,000 lb.	
August	2,338	2,263	1,549	1,475	2,466	2,387	1,889	1,802	2,230	2,159	2,238	2,135
September	2,422	2,403	1,564	1,578	2,387	2,368	1,795	1,811	2,119	2,102	2,310	2,331
October	2,510	2,432	1,699	1,692	2,428	2,355	1,858	1,847	2,320	2,250	2,535	2,520
November	2,528	2,403	1,703	1,731	2,464	2,344	1,947	1,975	2,362	2,247	2,388	2,422
December	2,387	2,575	1,578	1,783	2,118	2,290	1,695	1,913	2,148	2,322	2,251	2,541
January	2,436	2,476	1,884	1,884	2,284	2,321	1,956	1,956	2,285	2,322	2,603	2,603
February	2,391	2,297	1,918	1,851	2,212	2,125	1,938	1,871	*2,464	*2,367	*2,758	*2,662
March	2,495	2,429	1,924	1,872	2,053	1,999	2,024	1,969	*2,474	*2,409	*2,962	*2,881
April	2,590	2,557	1,958	1,903	2,062	2,036	2,167	2,106	2,255	2,226	2,794	2,715
May	2,528	2,474	1,997	1,875	2,042	1,998	2,215	2,080				
June	2,468	2,444	1,864	1,819	2,073	2,052	2,139	2,087				
July	1,964	2,305	1,561	1,733	1,593	1,870	1,793	1,990				

1/ Preliminary.
2/ Includes nylon, acrylic and modacrylic, polyester, and other man-made staple fibers.
3/ See March 1967 Cotton Situation, CS-229, for seasonal adjustment factors.

*Revised.

Bureau of the Census.

Table 12.--Raw cotton equivalent of United States imports for consumption of cotton manufactures, 1962 to date

Year and month	Yarn, thread, and cloth						Primarily manufactured products											Total	
	Yarn	Sewing thread, crochet, knitting yarn	Cloth		Total		Pile fabrics and mfrs. 2/	Table damask and mfrs.	Bed-clothes and towels 3/	Gloves, hosiery and hdkf.	Other wearing apparel 4/	Lace fabric and articles 5/	House-hold and clothing articles 6/	Misc. products 7/	Floor covering	Total			
			Primarily cotton	Other 1/	Weight	Bales										Weight	Bales	Weight	Bales
	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 bales 8/	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 bales 8/	1,000 pounds	1,000 bales 8/
1962 9/	32,550	268	138,327	6,850	177,995	370.8	3,664	4,044	14,940	2,349	89,474	1,977	12,828	884	1,693	131,853	274.7	309,848	645.5
1963	26,364	212	143,767	4,593	174,936	364.4	4,273	3,262	12,284	2,561	91,643	1,228	10,716	1,507	1,902	129,376	269.5	304,312	634.0
1964	18,473	364	131,724	5,449	156,010	352.0	5,315	3,201	14,118	3,451	104,127	988	7,403	2,349	3,203	144,155	300.3	300,165	625.3
1965	24,414	324	173,359	4,928	203,025	423.0	5,349	3,315	16,885	2,944	116,947	1,198	6,682	2,295	1,960	157,575	328.3	360,600	751.2
1966	101,919	345	218,210	6,691	327,165	681.6	5,929	3,174	27,302	3,090	124,910	1,306	9,498	2,913	1,689	179,811	374.6	506,976	1,056.2
1967*	43,620	277	201,520	7,511	252,928	526.9	6,161	2,410	28,577	3,128	129,964	1,324	9,178	3,385	1,444	185,571	386.6	438,499	913.5
1967 10/																			
Jan.	5,121	19	22,966	659	28,765	59.9	373	365	2,314	244	12,503	125	818	280	140	17,162	35.8	45,927	95.7
Feb.	3,981	27	13,823	708	18,539	38.6	302	125	2,426	148	10,426	153	532	233	52	14,397	30.0	32,936	68.6
Mar.	3,609	15	22,240	644	26,508	55.2	312	236	2,291	241	11,486	97	794	296	132	15,885	33.1	42,393	88.3
Apr.	2,955	24	16,668	557	20,204	42.1	521	134	2,467	166	9,178	118	732	292	87	13,695	28.5	33,899	70.6
May	4,120	37	18,742	768	23,667	49.3	827	137	3,038	208	8,962	78	801	339	107	14,497	30.2	38,164	79.5
June	3,418	16	16,126	487	20,047	41.8	758	236	2,120	257	9,742	95	657	268	70	14,203	29.6	34,250	71.4
July	4,049	29	14,844	621	19,543	40.7	683	237	2,287	261	14,900	118	851	314	127	19,778	41.2	39,321	81.9
Aug.	2,854	24	15,994	577	19,449	40.5	738	237	2,199	371	13,522	104	720	253	133	18,277	38.1	37,726	78.6
Sept.	2,629	26	13,668	557	16,880	35.2	564	168	2,451	284	12,182	103	747	278	134	16,911	35.2	33,791	70.4
Oct.	3,706	21	18,243	740	22,710	47.3	366	205	2,679	292	9,499	110	786	306	136	14,379	30.0	37,089	77.3
Nov.	2,462	19	15,419	594	18,494	38.5	344	201	2,282	359	8,436	111	946	258	143	13,080	27.3	31,574	65.8
Dec.	4,716	20	12,787	599	18,122	37.8	373	129	2,023	297	9,128	112	794	268	183	13,307	27.7	31,429	65.5
1968 11/																			
Jan.	8,401	37	16,907	631	25,976	54.1	367	180	2,663	287	13,034	149	1,031	371	103	18,185	37.9	44,161	92.0
Feb.	7,891	38	17,078	646	25,653	53.4	370	123	2,459	295	10,252	126	958	281	119	14,983	31.2	40,636	84.7
Mar.	6,622	18	13,201	694	20,535	42.8	340	160	3,045	140	10,596	182	785	378	137	15,763	32.8	36,298	75.6
Apr.																			
May																			
June																			
July																			
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1967 11/ Jan.-Mar.	12,711	61	59,029	2,011	73,812	153.8	987	726	7,031	633	34,415	375	2,144	809	324	47,444	98.8	121,256	252.6
1968 11/ Jan.-Mar.	22,914	93	47,186	1,971	72,164	150.3	1,077	463	8,167	722	33,882	457	2,774	1,030	359	48,931	101.9	121,095	252.3

1/ Includes tapestry and upholstery fabrics, tire cord fabrics, and cloths in chief value cotton containing other fibers. 2/ Includes velvets and velveteens, corduroys, plushes and chenilles, and manufactures of pile fabrics. 3/ Includes blankets, quilts, and bedspreads, sheets and pillow cases. 4/ Includes knit and woven underwear and outerwear (collars and cuffs, shirts, coats, vests, robes, pajamas, and ornamented wearing apparel). 5/ Includes nets and nettings, veils and veilings, edgings, embroideries, etc., and lace window curtains. 6/ Includes braids (except hat braids), tubing, labels, lacing, wicking, loom harness, table and bureau covers, polishing and dust cloths, fabrics with fast edges, cords and tassels, garters, suspenders and braces, corsets and brassieres, etc. 7/ Includes belts and belting, fish nets and netting, and coated, filled or waterproof fabrics. 8/ 480 pound net weight bales. 9/ For annual data prior to 1962 and monthly data beginning July 1959, see Statistics on Cotton and Related Data, 1930-67, issued March 1968. 10/ Monthly data may not always agree with the annual because of rounding and minor revisions in the annual report. 11/ Preliminary.

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Compiled from reports of the Bureau of the Census.

Table 13.--Raw cotton equivalent of United States exports of domestic cotton manufactures, 1962 to date

Year and month	Yarn, thread, twine, and cloth							Manufactured products										Total	
				Cloth		Total		House furnishings				Wearing apparel				Total			
	Yarn	Sewing thread, crochet, darning and embroidery cotton	Twine and cordage	Standard constructions and tire cord 1/	Other 2/	Weight	Bales	Blankets	Quilts, spreads, pillow cases, and sheets	Towels	Other 3/	Knit 4/	Other 5/	Other household and clothing articles 6/	Industrial products 7/	Weight	Bales	Weight	Bales
	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 bales 8/	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 bales 8/	1,000 pounds	1,000 bales 8/
1962 9/	7,582	1,765	1,778	118,254	39,178	168,557	351.2	1,010	4,464	3,407	1,496	2,610	10,895	15,162	12,706	51,750	107.9	220,307	459.0
1963	6,241	1,893	1,757	103,156	39,109	152,156	317.0	734	5,370	4,389	1,755	2,786	11,568	15,622	13,427	55,651	115.9	207,807	432.9
1964	7,607	2,329	1,599	111,881	30,693	154,109	321.1	834	6,124	5,916	2,523	3,357	14,075	14,843	11,454	59,126	123.2	213,235	444.2
1965	7,104	1,832	1,237	85,509	24,792	120,474	251.0	851	4,955	6,370	2,838	2,838	15,197	9,953	10,332	53,334	111.1	173,808	362.1
1966	6,518	2,049	1,303	95,473	27,370	132,713	276.4	724	5,128	6,514	3,037	2,962	17,451	10,155	10,919	56,890	118.5	189,603	395.0
1967	5,737	1,806	1,342	86,244	33,553	128,682	268.1	691	5,885	6,435	3,104	2,694	20,458	11,216	9,290	59,773	124.5	188,455	392.6
1967 10/																			
Jan.	587	124	108	8,006	2,100	10,925	22.8	71	361	448	217	206	1,299	842	736	4,180	8.7	15,105	31.5
Feb.	563	146	150	6,510	3,080	10,449	21.8	31	303	448	215	226	1,637	707	636	4,203	8.8	14,652	30.5
Mar.	553	236	133	7,723	2,520	11,165	23.3	42	408	446	231	271	2,128	953	985	5,464	11.4	16,629	34.6
Apr.	456	135	100	6,881	2,849	10,421	21.7	43	455	459	271	244	1,994	1,138	730	5,334	11.1	15,755	32.8
May	403	150	191	7,390	3,020	11,154	23.2	34	562	488	275	243	1,989	946	686	5,223	10.9	16,377	34.1
June	415	147	87	6,950	3,953	11,552	24.1	78	647	494	274	193	1,599	980	705	4,970	10.4	16,522	34.4
July	385	116	76	5,903	2,792	9,272	19.3	51	466	527	195	167	1,353	1,006	549	4,314	9.0	13,586	28.3
Aug.	478	127	58	5,981	3,489	10,133	21.1	57	572	808	380	242	1,208	836	740	4,843	10.1	14,976	31.2
Sept.	460	148	168	6,512	2,688	9,976	20.8	95	550	743	243	264	1,661	938	1,086	5,580	11.6	15,556	32.4
Oct.	629	165	82	6,221	2,035	9,132	19.0	50	452	585	288	167	2,067	915	787	5,311	11.1	14,443	30.1
Nov.	470	158	131	7,203	2,805	10,767	22.4	80	733	538	253	277	1,782	969	872	5,504	11.5	16,271	33.9
Dec.	338	154	58	10,962	2,222	13,734	28.6	58	374	451	260	194	1,740	986	778	4,841	10.1	18,575	38.7
1968 11/																			
Jan.	483	168	120	6,535	1,938	9,244	19.3	54	394	541	263	176	1,268	1,426	687	4,809	10.0	14,053	29.3
Feb.	333	129	179	6,767	3,117	10,525	21.9	47	346	499	266	217	2,369	926	847	5,517	11.5	16,042	33.4
Mar.	383	149	201	6,063	1,686	8,482	17.7	32	429	299	306	292	2,254	829	656	5,097	10.6	13,579	28.3
Apr.																			
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1967 Jan.-Mar.	1,703	506	391	22,239	7,700	32,539	67.8	144	1,072	1,342	663	703	5,064	2,502	2,357	13,847	28.8	46,386	96.6
1968 11/ Jan.-Mar.	1,199	446	500	19,365	6,741	28,251	58.9	133	1,169	1,339	835	685	5,891	3,181	2,190	15,423	32.1	43,674	91.0

1/ Includes fabrics and tire cord and cloth for export to the Philippines to be embroidered and otherwise manufactured and returned to the United States. 2/ Includes tapestry and upholstery fabrics, table damask, pile fabrics and remnants. 3/ Includes curtains and draperies, house furnishings not elsewhere specified. 4/ Includes gloves and mitts of woven fabric. 5/ Includes underwear and outerwear of woven fabric, handkerchiefs, and wearing apparel containing mixed fibers (corsets, brassieres, and girdles, garters, armbands and suspenders, neckties and cravats). 6/ Includes canvas articles and manufactures, knit fabric in the piece, braids and narrow fabrics, elastic webbing, waterproof garments, and lace and lace articles. 7/ Includes rubberized fabrics, bags, and industrial belts and belting. 8/ 480 pound net weight bales. 9/ For annual data prior to 1962 and monthly data beginning July 1959, see Statistics on Cotton and Related Date, 1930-67, issued March 1968. 10/ Monthly data may not always agree with the annual because of rounding and minor revisions in the annual report. 11/ Preliminary.

Beginning January 1, 1965, a new classification system for exports was adopted by the Bureau of the Census. Minor differences from earlier groupings may occur because of composition changes.

Compiled from reports of the Bureau of the Census.

Table 14.--Man-made fiber equivalent of United States imports for consumption of man-made fiber manufactures, 1963 to date

Year and month	Tops, yarn, thread, and cloth							Primarily manufactured products								Total manufactured imports
								Wearing apparel								
	Sliver tops and roving	Yarns thrown or plied	Yarns spun	Sewing thread and hand-work yarns	Rayon tire fabric including cord fabric	Fabric woven	Total	Knit 1/	Not knit	Handkerchiefs	Laces and lace articles 2/	Narrow fabrics 3/	Knit fabric in the piece	Other manufactures 4/	Total	
	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds
1962 5/	603	100	430	25	26	12,321	13,505	2,863	5,584	1,996	2,608	2,929	207	865	17,052	30,557
1963	267	163	898	38	14	14,265	15,645	3,826	7,536	1,485	2,221	3,598	309	1,587	20,562	36,207
1964	85	267	622	99	103	15,668	16,861	6,404	15,246	192	1,471	4,237	824	4,787	33,161	50,005
1965	53	279	503	389	569	26,068	27,861	12,832	17,749	217	1,587	4,960	2,634	11,166	51,145	79,006
1966	759	926	2,596	334	1,739	43,394	49,748	18,788	19,636	189	2,119	4,132	3,370	24,279	72,513	122,261
1967*	148	4,603	3,957	328	990	31,519	41,545	30,691	30,194	169	2,185	4,057	4,439	24,340	96,075	137,620
1967 6/																
Jan.	1	152	459	12	11	2,935	3,570	1,976	2,518	14	114	387	451	1,598	7,058	10,628
Feb.	71	157	254	12	111	2,151	2,756	1,742	1,887	23	101	307	277	1,681	6,018	8,774
Mar.	1	170	398	13	143	2,982	3,707	2,181	2,615	26	127	452	262	1,894	7,557	11,264
Apr.	0	193	460	13	118	2,571	3,355	1,920	1,956	12	118	301	535	2,124	6,966	10,321
May	10	171	305	28	1	2,644	3,159	2,138	2,551	10	191	410	727	2,252	8,279	11,438
June	45	312	376	46	15	2,973	3,767	2,922	2,511	16	278	385	425	2,359	8,896	12,663
July	8	388	234	84	7	2,567	3,288	3,314	3,250	12	287	293	342	1,556	9,054	12,342
Aug.	1	362	305	14	2	2,912	3,596	3,723	3,382	11	188	358	205	2,141	10,008	13,604
Sept.	1	484	261	37	46	2,095	2,924	3,154	2,783	13	287	331	209	2,211	8,988	11,912
Oct.	1	738	267	16	226	2,601	3,849	3,105	2,614	11	218	289	375	2,428	9,040	12,889
Nov.	8	679	359	30	197	2,683	3,956	2,001	2,249	12	186	314	261	2,000	7,023	10,979
Dec.	1	797	279	23	113	2,405	3,618	2,515	1,878	9	90	230	370	2,096	7,188	10,806
1968 7/																
Jan.	4	1,071	518	39	362	3,398	5,392	2,391	2,877	13	141	475	437	659	6,993	12,385
Feb.	22	789	303	71	340	2,046	3,571	2,222	2,360	10	95	277	426	659	6,049	9,620
Mar.	0	751	509	59	263	2,709	4,291	2,608	2,614	13	148	326	318	517	6,544	10,835
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Dec.																
1967 7/ Jan.-Mar.	73	479	1,111	37	265	8,068	10,033	5,899	7,020	63	342	1,146	990	5,173	20,633	30,666
1968 7/ Jan.-Mar.	26	2,611	1,330	169	965	8,153	13,254	7,221	7,851	36	384	1,078	1,181	1,835	19,586	32,840

1/ Includes gloves, hosiery, underwear, outerwear, and hats. 2/ Includes veils and veilings, nets and nettings, lace window curtains, edgings, insertings, flouncings, allovers, etc., embroideries, and ornamented wearing apparel. 3/ Includes braids (except hat braids), fabrics with fast edges not over 12 inches wide, garters, suspenders, braces, tubings, cords, tassels, gill nets, webs, seines, and other nets for fishing. 4/ Not elsewhere classified. 5/ For annual data prior to 1962 and monthly data beginning July 1959, see Statistics on Cotton and Related Data, 1930-67, issued March 1968. 6/ Monthly data may not always agree with the annual because of rounding and minor revisions in the annual report. 7/ Preliminary.

*Subject to change.

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Table 15.--Man-made fiber equivalent of United States exports of domestic man-made fiber manufactures, 1962 to date

Year and month	Tops, yarn, thread, and cloth						Primarily manufactured products								Total manufactured exports
	Sliver tops and roving 1/	Yarns spun	Sewing thread and hand-work yarns	Tire cord and tire cord fabric	Cloth woven	Total	Hosiery	Underwear and nightwear	Outerwear	Housefurnishings	Knit or crocheted fabrics	Narrow fabrics 2/	Other manufactures 3/	Total	
	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds
1962 4/	1,451	2,416	237	17,868	39,352	61,324	655	2,547	3,097	1,816	4,175	1,599	15,254	29,143	90,467
1963	1,963	1,932	273	17,653	44,130	65,951	746	2,612	3,260	2,213	4,630	1,466	16,200	31,127	97,078
1964	2,788	2,823	436	17,581	48,291	71,919	638	2,868	3,716	4,564	5,961	2,111	16,694	36,552	108,471
1965	4,809	2,451	364	24,982	62,739	95,345	766	2,540	4,169	5,147	5,252	5,226	17,545	40,645	*135,990
1966	6,384	1,481	528	26,742	66,379	101,514	888	2,535	4,209	6,898	5,754	4,990	20,604	45,878	*147,392
1967	4,500	2,141	465	16,460	67,758	91,324	1,146	2,042	4,831	9,241	6,796	4,764	18,712	47,532	*138,856
1967 5/															
Jan.	337	376	26	1,605	5,627	7,971	75	119	263	650	591	389	1,640	3,727	11,698
Feb.	295	189	34	2,489	5,263	8,270	63	162	448	704	410	390	1,523	3,700	11,970
Mar.	500	238	43	1,408	6,295	8,484	91	255	460	716	535	415	1,577	4,049	12,533
Apr.	365	115	42	1,366	6,163	8,051	89	209	418	484	516	419	1,692	3,827	11,878
May	329	180	28	1,095	6,214	7,846	88	192	440	756	638	374	1,879	4,367	12,213
June	380	102	41	1,301	5,555	7,379	99	148	460	719	668	445	1,727	4,266	11,645
July	436	68	44	594	4,663	5,805	94	133	333	640	523	360	1,240	3,323	9,128
Aug.	370	99	43	1,272	4,954	6,738	82	168	405	884	649	411	1,323	3,922	10,660
Sept.	216	254	46	1,531	5,824	7,871	127	184	396	921	643	463	1,549	4,283	12,154
Oct.	266	190	29	1,453	5,102	7,040	118	169	441	875	604	387	1,824	4,418	11,458
Nov.	485	181	43	1,358	5,869	7,936	121	174	444	1,066	608	408	1,377	4,198	12,134
1968 6/															
Jan.	204	184	57	730	5,290	6,465	75	85	313	773	562	293	537	2,638	9,103
Feb.	559	144	31	886	5,755	7,375	124	120	377	837	475	448	1,122	3,503	10,878
Mar.	439	255	48	996	4,756	6,494	87	174	434	944	309	302	1,010	3,260	9,754
Apr.															
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Dec.															
1967 Jan.-Mar.	1,132	803	103	5,502	17,185	24,725	229	536	1,171	2,070	1,536	1,194	4,740	11,476	36,201
1968 6/ Jan.-Mar.	1,202	583	136	2,612	15,801	20,334	286	379	1,124	2,554	1,346	1,043	2,669	9,401	29,735

1/ Includes products made from waste. 2/ Includes ribbons, trimmings, and braids (except hat braids). 3/ Not elsewhere classified. 4/ For annual data prior to 1962 and monthly data beginning July 1959, see Statistics on Cotton and Related Data, 1930-67, issued March 1968. 5/ Monthly data may not always agree with the annual because of rounding and minor revisions in the annual report. 6/ Preliminary.

*Under revision. Includes unknown quantities of non-textile man-made fibers.

Compiled from reports of the Bureau of the Census.

Table 16.--Textile fabrics: Deliveries to U.S. military forces, raw fiber content, by major fiber, by months, 1967 to date

Year and month	Cotton					Wool					Man-made										Total all fibers
	100 per cent cotton fabric	Cotton and man-made fiber mixtures		Cotton and other fiber mixtures	Total 1/	100 per cent wool fabric	Wool and man-made fiber mixtures		Wool and other fiber mixtures	Total 1/	Cellulosic			Non-cellulosic			Total			Glass	
		50 percent or more cotton	Less than 50 percent cotton				50 percent or more wool	Less than 50 percent wool			Filament yarn	Staple fiber	Total 1/	Filament yarn	Staple fiber	Total 1/	Filament yarn	Staple fiber	Total 1/		
	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.
1967																					
Jan.	14,295	843	468	0	15,605	1,969	27	224	0	2,219	4	133	137	1,601	1,223	2,824	1,605	1,356	2,961	1	20,786
Feb.	13,824	682	280	0	14,786	2,448	0	105	0	2,552	3	3	6	1,870	754	2,624	1,873	756	2,629	1	19,968
Mar.	18,214	1,075	113	0	19,401	3,081	53	199	0	3,333	9	33	42	1,655	1,052	2,707	1,664	1,085	2,749	6	25,489
Apr.	10,878	781	20	0	11,679	1,657	0	107	0	1,764	3	19	22	910	658	1,567	912	676	1,589	0	15,032
May	14,296	1,019	115	0	15,430	2,079	0	184	0	2,263	36	32	68	798	735	1,533	834	767	1,601	0	19,294
June	13,371	669	95	0	14,134	1,963	0	179	0	2,142	2	19	22	891	636	1,527	893	655	1,548	2	17,826
July	9,946	777	34	0	10,757	1,428	0	84	0	1,512	9	9	18	305	443	748	314	452	766	1	13,036
Aug.	13,691	745	146	0	14,581	1,772	0	133	0	1,905	6	0	6	625	722	1,347	632	722	1,354	0	17,840
Sept.	10,855	586	55	0	11,496	1,195	0	136	0	1,330	102	7	109	271	367	638	373	373	747	31	13,604
Oct.	10,602	840	195	0	11,636	1,423	0	243	0	1,666	126	27	153	430	774	1,204	556	802	1,357	2	14,661
Nov.	10,680	948	70	0	11,699	1,384	0	298	0	1,682	86	0	86	321	784	1,105	407	784	1,191	19	14,591
Dec.	7,683	841	54	0	8,578	919	0	291	0	1,210	50	18	67	244	836	1,080	294	853	1,147	0	10,935
Total	148,335	9,806	1,645	0	159,786	21,318	80	2,183	0	23,581	436	300	736	9,921	8,984	18,905	10,357	9,281	19,638	63	203,068
1968																					
Jan.	10,072	1,405	110	0	11,587	1,170	0	252	0	1,422	217	5	222	279	858	1,137	497	862	1,359	0	14,368
Feb.	9,006	1,736	173	0	10,915	764	0	180	0	944	264	6	270	165	1,208	1,373	429	1,214	1,643	1	13,503
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1/ Totals do not always equal the total of the components due to rounding.

2/ Less than 500 pounds.

Based on data from the Defense Supply Agency, Department of Defense.

Table 17.--Cotton and man-made fiber fabrics: Deliveries to U.S. military forces, in equivalent square yards of fabric, by months, 1967 to date

Fiber and fabric	1967 Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total	1968 Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total
	- Thousand square yards -													- Thousand square yards -												
COTTON																										
Airplane cloth	13	14	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	46	13	0											
Artificial leather	91	2	1	26	25	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	158	0	0											
Balloon cloth	428	1,022	957	839	1,464	648	1,147	996	873	356	696	108	9,534	255	128											
Bedspread	31	19	91	12	34	34	33	68	2	72	0	36	432	31	33											
Broadcloth	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0											
Bunting	0	0	0	0	0	18	41	46	14	39	0	0	158	9	0											
Chambray	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	35	35	1	0											
Cheesecloth	246	202	205	0	0	45	0	0	0	272	215	199	1,384	333	0											
Damask	4	22	37	33	61	77	31	17	9	16	11	16	334	7	0											
Denim	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	33	96	0	129	97	0											
Drill	376	209	442	258	109	109	236	264	198	330	438	305	3,274	1,088	1,025											
Duck	5,725	4,707	4,638	3,847	6,383	3,927	3,664	4,811	3,633	3,169	2,268	1,884	48,656	1,836	1,694											
Flannel	0	0	17	0	0	4	0	0	30	0	8	11	70	0	0											
Muslin	0	6	25	0	0	0	0	0	12	0	0	0	43	0	0											
Osnaburg	0	0	268	197	103	64	94	343	270	126	200	145	1,810	129	115											
Oxford	1,969	2,512	3,204	1,650	1,639	2,867	2,550	3,147	2,210	2,146	3,221	2,938	30,053	2,737	2,070											
Poplin	4,090	4,700	5,460	3,030	2,558	1,282	2,121	1,288	1,660	2,049	1,771	1,813	31,822	4,637	3,276											
Sateen (satin)	7,367	5,661	8,152	3,123	4,708	6,048	2,646	5,563	4,700	5,627	6,262	3,958	63,815	5,397	4,347											
Sheeting (sheets)	2,584	3,760	4,863	4,166	4,849	4,373	3,137	4,484	4,076	2,818	3,062	1,057	43,229	488	2,529											
Terry and toweling	562	753	912	719	365	962	181	319	190	161	303	142	5,569	397	206											
Ticking	0	0	1	17	0	0	0	0	5	1	2	0	26	0	5											
Twill	816	977	2,557	1,198	1,197	2,530	1,072	1,772	1,182	1,036	300	376	15,013	250	234											
Other broadwoven fabrics	0	0	19	0	3	29	17	17	2	22	4	0	113	2	0											
Webbing	268	242	340	200	250	150	181	236	150	116	139	169	2,441	102	111											
Knit	0	0	0	0	47	28	0	0	20	34	15	37	181	2	8											
Total cotton	24,570	24,808	32,189	19,315	23,799	23,208	17,151	23,371	19,236	18,423	19,011	13,244	258,325	17,811	15,781											
MAN-MADE																										
Cellulosic																										
Broadwoven fabrics	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0											
Webbing	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0											
Non-cellulosic																										
Ballistic	862	734	830	503	507	294	80	349	144	169	51	0	4,523	-34	0											
Banner cloth	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0											
Bunting	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	5	1	0											
Curtain cloth	0	0	0	5	4	0	5	3	4	0	0	0	21	0	0											
Duck	161	881	464	348	247	513	195	67	17	44	6	88	3,031	58	0											
Netting	5,235	4,905	3,292	1,444	448	871	209	242	114	632	654	295	18,341	154	123											
Oxford	18	107	94	0	88	249	75	331	0	319	0	0	1,281	0	0											
Parachute cloth	48	86	987	87	486	1,272	0	438	437	57	47	132	4,077	110	0											
Pressing cloth	35	5	0	0	0	0	22	35	18	7	0	0	122	0	0											
Sateen	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0											
Twill	68	53	0	0	0	0	0	0	77	92	77	81	448	375	275											
Other broadwoven fabrics	42	187	189	203	177	226	2	6	20	19	168	5	1,244	6	8											
Webbing	15	17	34	11	14	21	18	37	18	38	22	13	258	21	12											
Knit cloth	0	0	69	44	15	0	15	21	36	0	99	47	346	20	25											
Total non-cellulosic	6,485	6,975	5,959	2,645	1,986	3,446	621	1,529	885	1,377	1,124	666	33,697	711	443											
Glass	5	10	10	0	0	3	8	2	63	13	11	0	125	1	4											
Total man-made	6,490	6,985	5,970	2,645	1,986	3,449	629	1,531	948	1,390	1,135	667	33,824	712	447											

1/ Less than 500 square yards.

Based on data from the Defense Supply Agency, Department of Defense.

Table 18.--Wool and fiber mixture fabrics: Deliveries to U.S. military forces, in equivalent square yards of fabric, by months, 1967 to date

	1967													1968											
	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total
WOOL	- Thousand square yards -													- Thousand square yards -											
Blanketing	1,209	1,328	2,130	1,250	1,055	999	631	1,036	670	591	248	98	11,245	112	98										
Flannel	0	0	84	74	183	65	11	3	0	0	54	133	607	156	132										
Frieze	0	0	0	0	0	0	141	203	164	274	255	187	1,224	198	32										
Gabardine	88	919	992	331	546	571	381	357	281	196	0	0	4,662	0	55										
Kersey	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0										
Melton	443	295	170	148	81	24	0	0	0	178	153	122	1,614	167	103										
Pile	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0										
Serge	759	696	525	274	909	938	546	445	338	506	952	672	7,560	892	619										
Tropical	0	0	0	15	164	128	250	249	67	37	308	87	1,305	194	165										
Other	0	0	16	10	11	11	9	8	0	13	16	20	114	13	0										
Total wool	2,499	3,238	3,917	2,102	2,949	2,736	1,969	2,301	1,520	1,795	1,986	1,319	28,331	1,732	1,204										
MIXED FIBER																									
Cotton and wool	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0										
Cotton and cellulosic	630	33	81	32	280	28	105	61	738	907	623	417	3,935	1,530	1,867										
Cotton and non-cellulosic	5,392	5,071	4,097	2,342	2,988	3,055	2,030	2,867	809	2,305	2,069	2,404	35,429	3,424	4,763										
Cotton and glass	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0										
Cotton and other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0										
Wool and cellulosic	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0										
Wool and non-cellulosic	1,450	647	1,363	665	1,141	1,105	485	833	866	1,506	1,876	1,826	13,763	1,576	1,124										
Wool and other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0										
Cotton, wool, and cellulosic	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0										
Cotton, wool, and non-cellulosic	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0										
Cellulosic and non-cellulosic	0	0	297	170	163	291	81	0	62	249	0	51	1,364	43	34										
Other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0										
Total mixed fiber	7,472	5,751	5,838	3,209	4,573	4,479	2,701	3,761	2,475	4,967	4,568	4,698	54,492	6,573	7,788										
COTTON AND NON-CELLULOSIC																									
Broadcloth	1,999	2,280	747	-112	173	693	164	284	20	586	66	173	7,073	211	249										
Duck	101	0	74	22	54	104	35	237	59	143	203	212	1,244	142	221										
Oxford	931	1,311	1,142	726	1,256	1,466	819	847	321	659	769	760	11,007	1,211	328										
Poplin	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	600	16	0	0	410	1,026	630	2,357										
Sateen	1,298	737	1,745	1,546	1,070	422	842	674	158	201	678	665	10,036	732	856										
Twill	677	0	49	96	344	0	54	13	233	660	212	106	2,444	294	553										
Tropical	381	742	307	19	87	375	114	203	0	40	86	74	2,428	140	191										
Cord	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0										
Other broadwoven fabrics	0	0	33	45	0	0	0	0	0	11	45	0	134	61	0										
Webbing	4	1	1	0	5	-3	2	7	1	5	10	5	38	2	8										
Total cotton and non-cellulosic	5,391	5,071	4,098	2,342	2,989	3,057	2,030	2,865	808	2,305	2,069	2,405	35,430	3,423	4,763										

Based on data from the Defense Supply Agency, Department of Defense.

Table 19.--Cotton: Exports by staple length and by countries of destination, United States, February and March 1967 and cumulative totals, August 1966-March 1967

Country of destination	February 1967				March 1967				Cumulative totals Aug. 1966-Mar. 1967			
	1-1/8 inches and over 1/	1 inch to 1-1/8 inches	Under 1 inch	Total	1-1/8 inches and over 1/	1 inch to 1-1/8 inches	Under 1 inch	Total	1-1/8 inches and over 1/	1 inch to 1-1/8 inches	Under 1 inch	Total
	Running bales	Running bales	Running bales	Running bales	Running bales	Running bales	Running bales	Running bales	Running bales	Running bales	Running bales	Running bales
Europe												
United Kingdom	1,593	8,674	4,255	14,522	211	9,478	2,787	12,476	4,819	77,001	30,048	111,868
Austria	0	344	0	344	0	790	0	790	1,058	2,958	0	4,016
Belgium and Luxembourg	120	3,208	0	3,328	0	4,703	310	5,013	1,408	43,204	781	45,393
Denmark	0	507	0	507	0	450	0	450	0	5,499	0	5,499
Ireland (Eire)	0	375	0	375	0	2,704	75	2,779	0	8,849	75	8,924
Finland	0	1,900	0	1,900	0	0	0	0	0	9,663	985	10,648
France	1,474	14,794	1,712	17,980	675	11,282	881	12,838	9,833	103,712	11,941	125,486
Germany (West)	1,677	8,908	150	10,735	1,528	13,813	0	15,341	9,394	121,500	1,914	132,808
Italy	178	21,303	6,819	28,300	122	36,367	2,021	38,510	1,688	166,417	18,517	186,622
Netherlands	178	3,241	7	3,426	329	3,207	916	4,452	1,563	21,751	1,207	24,521
Norway	0	1,108	250	1,358	0	714	250	964	0	7,032	1,854	8,886
Portugal	43	249	0	292	0	151	0	151	43	550	0	593
Spain	0	102	0	102	0	100	0	100	0	677	2	679
Sweden	0	4,187	1,613	5,800	0	2,715	676	3,391	0	40,894	11,832	52,726
Switzerland	213	4,734	50	4,997	1,553	6,505	700	8,758	8,094	51,925	4,657	64,676
Yugoslavia	0	1,553	0	1,553	0	0	0	0	287	120,106	14,815	135,208
Other	227	2	2	231	219	8,032	0	8,251	652	57,926	4,738	63,316
Total Europe	5,703	75,189	14,858	95,750	4,637	101,011	8,616	114,264	38,839	839,664	103,366	981,869
Other Countries												
Canada	344	29,928	7,331	37,603	420	20,002	6,384	26,806	1,692	152,520	31,125	185,337
Colombia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,295	0	1,295
Chile	177	113	0	290	446	242	0	688	885	1,142	107	2,134
India	7,764	33,259	190	41,213	1,876	1,223	0	3,099	59,060	126,416	1,907	187,383
Pakistan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2,580	76	0	2,656
Indonesia	0	0	0	0	1,084	36,239	4,065	41,388	2,385	104,683	23,383	130,451
Korea	1,929	21,589	25,815	49,333	631	7,477	4,559	12,667	9,153	109,318	118,818	237,289
Hong Kong	0	1,327	16,162	17,489	107	1,021	15,192	16,320	107	13,191	123,405	136,703
Taiwan	1,079	23,894	19,309	44,282	1,739	14,248	8,215	24,202	7,772	106,403	155,649	269,824
Japan	248	55,403	83,725	139,376	148	55,580	67,950	123,678	20,410	439,032	524,979	984,421
Australia	0	1,186	25	1,211	53	1,113	138	1,304	107	9,594	3,786	13,487
Morocco	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9,632	0	9,632
Republic of South Africa	825	1,738	1,196	3,759	581	3,271	668	4,520	5,519	18,348	4,340	28,207
Other	70	19,659	8,184	27,913	498	24,149	7,783	32,430	8,130	188,081	70,619	266,830
World Total	18,139	263,285	176,795	458,219	12,220	265,576	123,570	401,366	156,639	2,119,395	1,161,484	3,437,518

1/ Includes American Egyptian and Sea Island Cotton.

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Table 20.--Cotton: Exports by staple length and by countries of destination, United States, February and March 1968 and cumulative totals since August 1, 1967

Country of destination	February 1968				March 1968				Cumulative totals since August 1, 1967			
	1-1/8 inches and over 1/	1 inch to 1-1/8 inches	Under 1 inch	Total	1-1/8 inches and over 1/	1 inch to 1-1/8 inches	Under 1 inch	Total	1-1/8 inches and over 1/	1 inch to 1-1/8 inches	Under 1 inch	Total
	Running bales	Running bales	Running bales	Running bales	Running bales	Running bales	Running bales	Running bales	Running bales	Running bales	Running bales	Running bales
Europe												
United Kingdom	117	6,782	5,760	12,659	0	8,448	6,875	15,323	167	53,945	34,861	88,973
Austria	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	903	0	903
Belgium and Luxembourg	0	3,664	99	3,763	0	4,843	713	5,556	100	26,348	925	27,373
Denmark	0	514	0	514	0	80	500	580	0	5,969	500	6,469
Ireland (Eire)	0	244	0	244	0	557	0	557	0	7,500	100	7,600
Finland	0	0	1,103	1,103	0	707	0	707	0	5,998	1,916	7,914
France	0	14,968	2,646	17,614	97	16,901	2,423	19,421	197	87,592	17,232	105,021
Germany (West)	700	19,574	200	20,474	1,071	13,788	646	15,505	2,031	74,286	5,312	81,629
Italy	612	21,695	3,646	25,953	0	29,789	4,427	34,216	967	161,070	25,554	187,591
Netherlands	0	3,506	0	3,506	0	9,689	256	9,945	0	21,232	301	21,533
Norway	0	100	450	550	0	398	350	748	0	2,624	1,350	3,974
Portugal	0	0	0	0	322	1,892	247	2,461	542	1,892	1,401	3,835
Spain	0	1,094	5	1,099	0	2,084	335	2,419	0	3,887	880	4,767
Sweden	0	2,922	861	3,783	0	4,502	1,315	5,817	0	38,614	12,384	50,998
Switzerland	200	5,056	2,222	7,478	350	4,561	678	5,589	1,303	38,577	7,365	47,245
Yugoslavia	0	10,087	5,587	15,674	0	6,683	2,212	8,895	0	34,290	23,213	57,503
Other	0	13,217	3,967	17,184	0	7,530	307	7,837	0	51,541	5,916	57,457
Total Europe	1,629	103,423	26,546	131,598	1,840	112,452	21,284	135,576	5,307	616,268	139,210	760,785
Other Countries												
Canada	213	3,897	7,623	11,733	88	3,897	9,727	13,712	1,879	66,972	43,640	112,491
Colombia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Chile	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	333	133	466
India	4,721	24,904	8,357	37,982	345	3,549	344	4,238	30,168	225,686	48,684	304,538
Pakistan	5,333	3,649	24	9,006	476	1,222	0	1,698	11,821	5,813	24	17,658
Indonesia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	196	0	196
Korea	0	14,282	7,376	21,658	300	3,148	584	4,032	5,805	132,329	110,460	248,594
Hong Kong	0	6,743	28,600	35,343	2	5,012	34,542	39,556	573	26,522	159,429	186,524
Taiwan	111	6,230	13,523	19,864	0	16,243	42,720	58,963	159	69,432	137,375	206,966
Japan	995	38,780	101,431	141,206	0	36,038	85,736	121,774	1,301	200,980	491,671	693,952
Australia	4	2,070	157	2,231	0	674	58	732	55	15,682	285	16,022
Morocco	0	5,906	0	5,906	0	4,523	0	4,523	0	16,797	0	16,797
Republic of South Africa	0	2,151	2,405	4,556	0	3,905	982	4,887	485	10,929	4,606	16,020
Other	103	16,660	9,307	26,070	0	21,956	24,702	46,658	714	122,760	77,610	201,084
World Total	13,109	228,695	205,349	447,153	3,051	212,619	220,679	436,349	58,267	1,510,699	1,213,127	2,782,093

1/ Includes American Egyptian and Sea Island Cotton.

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Table 21.--Cotton: Acreage, planted and harvested, and yield per acre on harvested acreage, by regions, 1950 to date

Crop year beginning August 1	West 1/		Southwest 2/		Delta 3/		Southeast 4/		Total
	1,000 acres	Percent	1,000 acres	Percent	1,000 acres	Percent	1,000 acres	Percent	1,000 acres
	Planted acreage 5/								
1950	1,051	5.6	8,130	43.1	5,740	30.4	3,945	20.9	18,866
1951	2,227	7.6	14,915	50.8	7,325	25.0	4,866	16.6	29,353
1952	2,398	8.5	13,710	48.9	6,858	24.4	5,099	18.2	28,065
1953	2,384	8.9	11,794	43.9	7,570	28.1	5,124	19.1	26,872
1954	1,546	7.7	9,239	46.1	5,576	27.8	3,691	18.4	20,052
1955	1,332	7.4	8,495	47.2	4,881	27.1	3,283	18.3	17,991
1956	1,338	7.8	8,054	47.2	4,605	27.0	3,080	18.0	17,077
1957	1,289	9.0	6,838	47.8	3,959	27.7	2,224	15.5	14,310
1958	1,323	10.7	6,105	49.3	3,369	27.2	1,582	12.8	12,379
1959	1,497	9.5	7,435	47.0	4,346	27.4	2,555	16.1	15,833
1960	1,619	10.1	7,455	46.3	4,433	27.6	2,573	16.0	16,080
1961	1,446	8.7	7,785	46.9	4,639	28.0	2,718	16.4	16,588
1962	1,454	8.9	7,595	46.6	4,573	28.1	2,671	16.4	16,293
1963	1,353	9.1	6,845	46.1	4,165	28.1	2,480	16.7	14,843
1964	1,338	9.0	6,839	46.1	4,182	28.2	2,477	16.7	14,836
1965	1,274	9.0	6,435	45.5	4,094	28.9	2,349	16.6	14,152
1966	1,031	10.0	4,712	45.5	2,989	28.9	1,617	15.6	10,349
1967 6/	977	10.3	4,385	46.4	2,720	28.8	1,366	14.5	9,448
1968 7/	1,152	10.4	5,020	45.2	3,432	30.9	1,504	13.5	11,108
	Harvested acreage								
1950	1,026	5.8	7,495	41.9	5,493	30.8	3,829	21.5	17,843
1951	2,179	8.1	13,335	49.4	6,650	24.7	4,785	17.8	26,949
1952	2,357	9.1	11,920	46.0	6,633	25.6	5,011	19.3	25,921
1953	2,347	9.6	9,920	40.8	7,028	28.9	5,046	20.7	24,341
1954	1,509	7.8	8,660	45.0	5,459	28.4	3,623	18.8	19,251
1955	1,287	7.6	7,690	45.5	4,746	28.0	3,205	18.9	16,928
1956	1,290	8.3	6,915	44.3	4,441	28.4	2,969	19.0	15,615
1957	1,284	0.2	6,445	47.5	3,683	27.2	2,182	16.1	13,558
1958	1,288	10.9	5,805	48.9	3,206	27.1	1,550	13.1	11,849
1959	1,459	9.7	6,975	46.1	4,195	27.7	2,488	16.5	15,117
1960	1,577	10.3	6,955	45.4	4,284	28.0	2,493	16.3	15,309
1961	1,409	9.0	7,205	46.1	4,404	28.2	2,616	16.7	15,634
1962	1,418	9.1	7,112	45.7	4,434	28.5	2,605	16.7	15,569
1963	1,310	9.2	6,440	45.3	4,042	28.5	2,420	17.0	14,212
1964	1,306	9.3	6,250	44.5	4,080	29.0	2,421	17.2	14,057
1965	1,241	9.1	6,120	45.0	3,974	29.2	2,280	16.7	13,615
1966	1,006	10.5	4,348	45.5	2,774	29.1	1,424	14.9	9,552
1967 6/	957	11.8	3,895	49.2	2,262	27.8	883	11.2	7,997

Crop year beginning August 1	West 1/ Actual	West 1/ Trend 8/	Southwest 2/ Actual	Southwest 2/ Trend 8/	Delta 3/ Actual	Delta 3/ Trend 8/	Southeast 4/ Actual	Southeast 4/ Trend 8/	United States Actual	United States Trend 8/
	Yield per acre on harvested acreage									
	Pounds	Pounds	Pounds	Pounds	Pounds	Pounds	Pounds	Pounds	Pounds	Pounds
1950	764	641	204	193	307	343	209	276	269	282
1951	625	657	163	204	322	336	331	261	269	285
1952	629	705	164	199	366	355	277	278	280	297
1953	646	716	230	215	385	401	275	317	324	326
1954	862	782	235	246	395	436	296	322	341	354
1955	818	851	281	261	536	441	405	334	417	376
1956	957	919	269	291	499	450	359	363	409	404
1957	974	941	290	310	392	481	334	381	388	428
1958	983	965	382	320	430	473	422	374	466	434
1959	975	966	330	335	546	471	386	370	461	440
1960	937	982	331	345	497	494	371	376	446	454
1961	959	992	343	339	489	537	338	384	438	464
1962	1,056	1,004	339	341	510	556	363	404	457	475
1963	1,034	1,026	354	354	642	579	461	421	517	491
1964	1,031	1,018	338	360	643	587	488	431	517	500
1965	1,047	972	394	365	610	578	453	420	527	498
1966	918		375		532		392		480	
1967 6/	828		364		462		355		447	

1/ West includes California, Arizona, New Mexico, and Nevada. 2/ Southwest includes Texas and Oklahoma. 3/ Delta includes Missouri, Arkansas, Tennessee, Mississippi, Louisiana, Illinois, and Kentucky. 4/ Southwest includes Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, and Alabama. 5/ Not adjusted for final acreage compliance with allotments. 6/ Crop Reporting Board report of May 8, 1968. 7/ Based on March 1968 intentions. 8/ Trend yield is 5-year centered average yield.

Crop Reporting Board, Statistical Reporting Service.

Table 22.--Cotton: Acreage, planted and harvested, and yield per planted acre, by States, 1961-65 average, and 1966, 1967

State	Planted acres			Harvested acres			Yield per planted acre		
	1961-65 average	1966	1967	1961-65 average	1966	1967	1961-65 average	1966	1967
	1,000 acres	1,000 acres	1,000 acres	1,000 acres	1,000 acres	1,000 acres	Pounds	Pounds	Pounds
North Carolina	401	244	191	384	155	75	358	184	109
South Carolina	558	355	307	545	305	190	410	379	278
Georgia	664	403	335	647	380	267	411	376	326
Tennessee	529	398	336	516	365	236	558	436	207
Alabama	877	589	513	855	564	340	435	375	184
Missouri	367	255	245	358	190	90	547	304	115
Mississippi	1,551	1,032	955	1,499	993	890	604	628	528
Arkansas	1,322	930	830	1,278	865	715	538	389	287
Louisiana	552	367	348	527	357	330	499	585	589
Oklahoma	640	447	425	595	380	370	251	229	218
Texas	6,460	4,265	3,960	6,030	3,968	3,525	338	358	335
New Mexico	200	142	132	189	134	122	636	612	572
Arizona	387	255	248	380	252	245	1,039	968	876
California	782	632	595	765	618	588	1,074	931	837
Other States 1/	51	35	28	49	26	14	380	260	203
United States	15,342	10,349	9,448	14,617	9,552	7,997	468	443	378
Other States									
Virginia	15.0	10.8	8.7	14.3	6.1	.6	329	101	10
Florida	24.0	15.5	11.2	22.8	14.3	10.0	317	310	300
Illinois	2.3	2.1	1.6	2.1	.5	.2	393	84	31
Kentucky	6.7	4.6	4.3	6.3	2.5	.9	535	285	67
Nevada	3.4	2.3	2.3	3.3	2.2	2.2	751	778	830
American-Egyptian 2/									
Texas	34.8	29.0	24.5	33.2	28.0	24.0	502	378	486
New Mexico	19.9	16.0	14.0	19.4	15.3	13.3	456	390	341
Arizona	42.6	34.5	29.5	41.7	34.2	28.7	589	502	558
California	.7	.6	.5	.6	.5	.4	617	523	412
Total American-Egyptian	97.9	80.1	68.5	94.9	78.0	66.4	531	435	487

1/ Sums of acreage and production for "Other States" rounded for inclusion in United States totals. Data for these States, except Kansas where cotton production is insignificant, are shown separately.

2/ Included in State and United States totals.

Crop Reporting Board, Statistical Reporting Service.

Table 23.--Cotton: Supply and distribution, by types, United States, 1950 to date

Year beginning Aug. 1	Supply: Carry-over Aug. 1	Supply: Ginnings: Current crop less ginnings prior to Aug. 1 of current season	Supply: Ginnings: New crop prior to Aug. 1 end of season	Supply: Net imports (total less re-exports)	Supply: City crop	Supply: Total	Distribution: Mill consumption	Distribution: Net exports (total less re-imports) 1/	Distribution: Total
	1,000 bales 2/	1,000 bales 2/	1,000 bales 2/	1,000 bales 2/	1,000 bales 2/	1,000 bales 2/	1,000 bales 2/	1,000 bales 2/	1,000 bales 2/
	All kinds								
1950	6,846.1	9,627.2	223.6	188.8	28.0	16,913.7	3/10,509.4	4,107.7	4/14,644.1
1951	2,277.9	14,852.3	176.4	72.2	40.0	17,418.8	3/9,196.0	5,514.8	4/14,745.8
1952	2,789.4	14,778.2	345.9	193.2	42.0	18,148.7	3/9,461.2	3,048.2	4/12,559.4
1953	5,604.8	15,971.3	388.2	141.6	43.0	22,148.9	8,576.2	3,760.5	4/12,411.7
1954	9,727.9	13,231.0	314.0	146.3	46.0	23,465.2	8,841.5	3,445.5	4/12,347.0
1955	11,205.4	14,228.1	404.8	136.6	47.0	26,021.9	3/9,209.6	2,214.7	11,424.3
1956	14,528.8	12,746.4	230.8	136.4	50.0	27,692.4	3/8,608.4	7,597.7	16,206.0
1957	11,322.6	10,649.6	212.6	141.2	58.0	22,384.0	3/7,999.2	5,716.8	13,716.0
1958	8,737.0	11,222.8	150.5	136.5	51.0	20,297.8	3/8,702.8	2,789.5	11,492.3
1959	8,884.9	14,364.6	139.8	130.7	50.0	23,570.0	9,016.7	7,182.4	16,199.1
1960	7,558.7	14,125.2	227.7	5/127.2	63.0	22,101.8	3/8,279.3	6,632.4	14,911.7
1961	7,227.8	14,096.8	287.4	5/152.4	64.0	21,828.5	3/8,953.8	4,912.9	13,866.7
1962	7,831.4	14,576.8	244.7	136.6	68.0	22,857.5	3/8,418.9	3,350.9	11,769.8
1963	11,215.6	15,045.3	152.1	6/134.8	102.0	26,649.8	3/8,608.7	5,662.4	14,271.1
1964	12,378.3	14,996.9	180.1	6/118.2	70.0	27,743.5	9,170.9	4,059.6	13,230.5
1965	14,290.6	14,752.8	9.9	6/118.4	88.0	29,259.3	9,496.8	2,942.1	12,438.9
1966	16,862.5	9,552.5	256.5	6/104.6	50.0	26,826.1	3/9,484.9	4,668.8	14,153.7
1967 10/	12,533.3	11/7,434.7	—	6/139.1	50.0	20,157.1	9,130.0	4,225.0	13,355.0
1968									
1969									
	Other than extra-long staple								
1950	6,781.1	9,565.0	223.6	67.6	28.0	16,665.3	3/10,357.0	4,107.7	4/14,491.7
1951	2,195.5	14,806.3	176.4	26.1	40.0	17,244.3	3/9,116.5	5,514.8	4/14,666.3
1952	2,741.1	14,684.7	345.9	60.7	42.0	17,874.4	3/9,358.1	3,048.2	4/12,456.2
1953	5,511.1	15,906.8	388.2	49.5	43.0	21,898.6	8,475.5	3,760.5	4/12,311.0
1954	9,569.5	13,190.1	314.0	47.9	46.0	23,167.5	8,729.9	3,445.1	4/12,235.0
1955	11,028.5	14,186.6	404.8	50.7	47.0	25,717.6	3/9,084.7	2,194.4	11,279.1
1956	14,399.0	12,697.3	230.8	43.3	50.0	27,420.4	3/8,496.2	7,539.8	16,036.0
1957	11,269.3	10,569.9	212.6	96.6	58.0	22,206.4	3/7,899.8	5,707.1	13,606.8
1958	8,615.3	11,140.9	150.5	51.0	51.0	20,008.7	3/8,593.7	2,766.0	11,359.6
1959	8,732.6	14,295.5	139.8	47.5	50.0	23,265.4	8,879.4	7,178.2	16,057.6
1960	7,404.3	14,059.2	227.7	5/41.5	63.0	21,795.7	3/8,131.2	6,625.0	14,756.3
1961	7,089.5	14,035.8	287.4	5/68.2	64.0	21,544.9	3/8,783.2	4,905.8	13,689.0
1962	7,741.0	14,467.0	244.7	54.5	68.0	22,575.2	3/8,258.3	3,348.2	11,606.5
1963	11,016.0	14,884.1	152.1	6/54.4	102.0	26,208.6	3/8,468.0	5,660.8	14,128.8
1964	12,125.1	14,880.2	180.1	6/35.5	70.0	27,290.9	9,018.6	4,038.4	13,057.0
1965	14,031.3	14,667.2	9.9	6/30.8	87.6	28,826.8	9,355.9	2,936.4	12,292.3
1966	16,574.0	9,481.3	256.5	6/28.9	50.0	26,390.7	3/9,349.9	4,655.9	14,005.8
1967 10/	12,279.5	11/7,366.4	—	50.8	50.0	19,746.7	9,000.0	4,200.0	13,200.0
1968									
1969									
	Long staple (other than upland) 7/								
1950	65.0	62.2	—	121.2	—	248.4	3/152.4	8/	152.4
1951	82.4	46.0	—	46.1	—	174.5	3/79.5	8/	79.5
1952	48.3	93.5	—	132.5	—	274.3	3/103.1	8/	103.1
1953	93.7	64.5	—	92.1	—	250.3	100.7	8/	100.7
1954	158.4	40.9	—	98.4	—	297.7	111.6	0.4	112.0
1955	176.9	41.5	—	85.9	—	304.3	3/124.9	20.3	145.2
1956	129.8	49.1	—	93.1	—	272.0	3/112.2	57.9	170.1
1957	53.3	79.7	—	44.6	—	177.6	3/99.4	9.7	109.1
1958	121.7	81.9	—	85.5	—	289.1	3/109.1	23.5	132.6
1959	152.3	69.1	—	83.2	—	304.6	137.3	4.2	141.5
1960	154.4	66.0	—	85.7	—	306.1	3/148.1	7.4	155.4
1961	138.3	61.0	—	84.2	—	283.6	3/170.6	7.1	177.7
1962	9/90.4	109.8	—	82.1	—	282.3	3/160.6	2.7	163.3
1963	9/199.6	161.2	—	6/80.4	—	441.2	3/140.7	1.6	142.3
1964	9/253.2	116.7	—	6/82.7	—	452.6	152.3	21.2	173.5
1965	9/259.3	85.6	—	6/87.6	—	432.5	140.9	5.7	146.6
1966	9/288.5	71.2	—	6/75.7	—	435.4	3/135.0	12.9	147.9
1967 10/	9/253.8	11/68.3	—	12/88.3	—	410.4	130.0	25.0	155.0
1968									
1969									

1/ Beginning 1956, re-exports no longer published. 2/ Running bales except "net imports" which are in bales of 500 pounds, gross weight. 3/ Adjusted to cotton marketing year basis, August 1-July 31. 4/ Includes small amount of destroyed cotton. 5/ Does not include picker laps reported as raw cotton by the Bureau of the Census. 6/ Imports for consumption. 7/ Includes American-Egyptian, Sea Island, and foreign-grown cotton. In some years prior to 1962, small amounts of foreign-grown long-staple upland cotton are included. 8/ Less than 50 bales. 9/ Foreign stockpile cotton included by the Bureau of the Census as of August 1 was 7,168 bales in 1962, 61,168 bales in 1963, 27,474 bales in 1964, 18,307 bales in 1965, 12,500 bales in 1966, and 884 bales in 1967. In bond cotton is not included; 116,609 bales as of August 1 in 1963, 60,297 in 1964, 38,022 in 1965, and 33,284 in 1966. 10/ Preliminary and estimated. 11/ Crop Reporting Board report of May 8, 1968. 12/ Imports exceed quota of 85,600 bales, in part, because import data are not adjusted to August 1-July 31 marketing year.

Bureau of the Census.

Table 24--Cotton: Yield and production with comparisons, 1961-65 average and 1966, 1967

State	Yield per harvested acre			Production 1/			Bales ginned as reported by Census 1/	
	Average 1961-65	1966	1967	Average 1961-65	1966	1967	1966	1967
	Pounds	Pounds	Pounds	1,000 bales	1,000 bales	1,000 bales	Bales	Bales
North Carolina	374	290	277	300	94	44	96,712	45,662
South Carolina	419	442	449	474	282	179	280,035	177,155
Georgia	422	398	408	566	316	228	313,190	226,420
Tennessee	572	475	295	614	363	145	361,666	143,884
Alabama	445	392	278	788	461	197	463,255	197,228
Missouri	561	408	314	419	162	59	161,430	58,826
Mississippi	625	653	567	1,942	1,353	1,054	1,353,935	1,054,828
Arkansas	557	418	333	1,483	756	497	760,124	499,578
Louisiana	521	602	621	572	449	428	448,686	427,889
Oklahoma	270	270	251	334	214	194	211,320	192,983
Texas	362	385	376	4,544	3,182	2,767	3,197,756	2,778,341
New Mexico	673	648	619	266	181	157	168,198	145,867
Arizona	1,057	979	887	839	515	454	511,787	450,679
California	1,099	952	847	1,753	1,228	1,040	1,231,195	1,043,886
Other States 2/	402	359	410	41	19	12	15,676	11,355
United States	491	480	447	14,935	9,575	7,455	9,574,965	7,454,581
Other States								
Virginia	346	180	138	10.3	2.3	0.2	2,148	3/311
Florida	333	336	336	15.8	10.0	7.0	8,304	6,999
Illinois	430	354	245	2.0	.4	.1	3/---	3/---
Kentucky	567	525	322	7.5	2.8	.6	3/1,497	3/---
Nevada	791	813	867	5.4	3.7	4.0	3,727	4,045
American-Egyptian 4/								
Texas	527	392	496	36.6	22.9	24.9	27,012	28,208
New Mexico	468	408	359	19.4	13.0	10.0	8,964	6,679
Arizona	601	507	574	52.7	36.3	34.5	36,907	5/34,896
California	661	628	468	.9	.7	.4	5/---	5/---
Total American-Egyptian	548	447	502	109.6	72.9	69.8	72,883	69,783

1/ Equivalent 500-pound gross weight bales ginned, as reported by the Bureau of the Census with an allowance made for interstate movement of seed cotton for ginning, rounded to thousands, by States.

2/ Sums of acreage and production for "other States" rounded for inclusion in United States totals. Data for these States, except Kansas where cotton production is insignificant, are shown separately.

3/ Illinois and Kentucky combined in 1966. Virginia, Illinois, and Kentucky combined in 1967.

4/ Included in State and United States totals.

5/ Arizona and California combined.

Crop Reporting Board, Statistical Reporting Service.

Table 25.--Production and percentage distribution of cotton by regions, United States, 1935 to date

Crop year beginning Aug. 1	Production					Percentage of U.S. crop			
	West 1/	South west 2/	Delta States 3/	South-east 4/	United States	West 1/	South-west 2/	Delta States 3/	South-east 4/
	1,000 bales 500 lb. gr. wt.	1,000 bales 500 lb. gr. wt.	1,000 bales 500 lb. gr. wt.	1,000 bales 500 lb. gr. wt.	1,000 bales 500 lb. gr. wt.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.
1935	449	3,523	3,171	3,495	10,638	4	33	30	33
1936	744	3,223	4,724	3,708	12,399	6	26	38	30
1937	1,214	5,928	6,787	5,017	18,946	6	31	36	27
1938	716	3,649	4,571	3,007	11,943	6	31	38	25
1939	747	3,372	4,646	3,052	11,817	6	29	39	26
1940	868	4,036	4,122	3,540	12,566	7	32	33	28
1941	691	3,370	4,266	2,417	10,744	6	31	40	23
1942	706	3,746	5,109	3,256	12,817	6	29	40	25
1943	580	3,207	4,502	3,138	11,427	5	28	39	28
1944	579	3,280	4,939	3,432	12,230	5	27	40	28
1945	576	2,079	3,644	2,716	9,015	7	23	40	30
1946	758	1,931	3,412	2,539	8,640	9	22	39	30
1947	1,185	3,767	4,192	2,716	11,860	10	32	35	23
1948	1,532	3,527	6,282	3,536	14,877	10	24	42	24
1949	2,088	6,650	4,878	2,512	16,128	13	41	30	16
1950	1,639	3,188	3,518	1,669	10,014	16	32	35	17
1951	2,842	4,536	4,467	3,304	15,149	19	30	29	22
1952	3,098	4,072	5,068	2,901	15,139	21	27	33	19
1953	3,166	4,754	5,646	2,899	16,465	19	29	34	18
1954	2,716	4,234	4,507	2,240	13,697	20	31	33	16
1955	2,201	4,502	5,313	2,705	14,721	15	31	36	18
1956	2,578	3,876	4,629	2,227	13,310	19	29	35	17
1957	2,539	3,895	3,010	1,520	10,964	23	36	27	14
1958	2,644	4,621	2,883	1,364	11,512	23	40	25	12
1959	2,973	4,797	4,784	2,004	14,558	20	33	33	14
1960	3,086	4,804	4,448	1,934	14,272	22	34	31	13
1961	2,823	5,155	4,497	1,843	14,318	20	36	31	13
1962	3,128	5,037	4,724	1,978	14,867	21	34	32	13
1963	2,830	4,753	5,423	2,328	15,334	19	31	35	15
1964	2,822	4,410	5,483	2,467	15,182	19	29	36	16
1965	2,714	5,037	5,066	2,156	14,973	18	34	34	14
1966	1,928	3,396	3,086	1,165	9,575	20	36	32	12
1967 5/	1,655	2,961	2,184	655	7,455	22	40	29	9

1/ West includes California, Arizona, New Mexico, and Nevada. 2/ Southwest includes Texas, and Oklahoma. 3/ Delta includes Missouri, Arkansas, Tennessee, Mississippi, Louisiana, Illinois, and Kentucky. 4/ Southeast includes Virginia, North Carolina. South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, and Alabama. 5/ Crop Reporting Board report of May 8, 1968.

Crop Reporting Board, Statistical Reporting Service.

Table 26.--Upland cotton: Signup under 1968/69 program 1/

State	Total acreage allotment 2/	Cotton farms signed up	Acreage allotment on cotton farms signed up	Intended acreage diversion	Diverted acreage as percent of total allotment 3/
	Acres	Number	Acres	Acres	Percent
Alabama	970,267	59,195	847,390	262,250	31
Arizona	332,716	2,188	324,478	64,514	20
Arkansas	1,330,424	30,578	1,268,419	189,785	15
California	740,760	6,924	708,653	51,822	7
Florida	34,653	2,521	26,019	8,153	31
Georgia	833,251	35,143	651,140	194,723	30
Illinois	2,990	70	2,591	359	14
Kansas	14	1	14	---	---
Kentucky	7,069	323	6,631	935	14
Louisiana	566,190	17,822	518,877	90,569	17
Mississippi	1,548,990	53,208	1,475,737	269,680	18
Missouri	358,342	12,271	355,985	34,040	10
Nevada	3,522	16	3,457	994	29
New Mexico	172,586	4,092	167,324	19,291	12
N. Carolina	458,380	42,283	372,594	110,071	30
Oklahoma	754,563	20,689	660,884	185,423	28
S. Carolina	681,500	35,531	574,433	164,585	29
Tennessee	546,718	37,389	522,718	115,671	22
Texas	6,839,960	101,243	6,170,582	1,517,528	25
Virginia	17,105	2,322	12,635	3,915	31
Total	16,200,000	463,800	14,670,561	3,284,308	22

1/ Final cotton signup through March 15, 1968. 2/ Includes farms and allotments which cannot participate because of zero permitted acreages due to participation in CRP, CAP, or CCP. 3/ Total allotments on farms signed up.

Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service.

Table 27.--Cotton and cottonseed: Season average price received by farmers and value of production, 1966 and 1967 crops 1/

State	Cotton				Cottonseed			
	Price per pound		Value of production		Price per ton		Value of production	
	1966 2/	1967 3/	1966	1967	1966	1967	1966	1967
	Cents	Cents	1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars	Dollars	Dollars	1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars
North Carolina	22.18	29.6	10,412	6,441	64.60	51.60	2,519	929
South Carolina	22.38	30.5	31,518	27,238	63.90	52.60	7,476	3,945
Georgia	20.17	25.9	31,887	29,500	65.20	51.60	8,476	4,902
Tennessee	22.28	28.6	40,405	20,788	67.10	55.10	10,065	3,361
Alabama	20.65	25.6	47,580	25,228	62.40	51.60	11,856	4,283
Missouri	22.05	29.4	17,851	8,685	62.40	53.00	4,243	1,325
Mississippi	21.77	28.4	147,312	149,619	69.80	58.30	39,646	26,060
Arkansas	21.74	29.8	82,134	74,073	65.60	55.60	20,664	11,676
Louisiana	21.35	28.8	47,881	61,622	68.60	55.00	12,691	9,790
Oklahoma	17.20	20.1	18,417	19,449	65.50	56.80	5,895	4,658
Texas	17.14	19.7	272,686	271,823	67.40	55.80	89,305	64,728
New Mexico	27.39	30.9	24,745	24,299	70.50	59.60	5,288	3,993
Arizona	22.22	29.7	57,057	67,211	58.70	53.00	12,327	10,123
California	26.97	31.9	165,528	165,965	61.40	53.00	30,086	23,214
Other States 4/	21.42	28.4	2,054	1,686	60.30	50.30	471	254
United States	20.84	25.6	997,467	953,627	65.90	55.20	261,008	173,241
American-Egyptian 5/								
Texas	49.2	48.8	5,397	5,805	---	---	---	---
New Mexico	49.9	48.5	3,113	2,317	---	---	---	---
Arizona	48.0	47.8	8,319	7,875	---	---	---	---
California	42.0	44.0	132	91	---	---	---	---
Total American-Egyptian	48.7	48.2	16,961	16,088	---	---	---	---

1/ 1967 crop preliminary.
2/ Allowance made for unredeemed loans at the end of season.
3/ Average price to April 1, 1968, including an allowance for unredeemed loans.
4/ Includes data for Virginia, Florida, Illinois, Kentucky and Nevada, not shown separately.
5/ Included in State and United States totals.

Crop Reporting Board, Statistical Reporting Service.

Table 28.--Estimated percent of production sold each month of the crop marketing year, 1966 and 1967 crops

State	1966 crop												
	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Total through July 1/
	Percent												
N.C.	0	1	21	26	18	7	6	1	1	2	3	9	95
S.C.	0	13	30	17	11	15	2	3	1	1	1	2	96
Ga.	0	8	11	6	3	2	2	2	2	1	4	12	53
Tenn.	0	5	37	34	11	3	1	2	1	1	1	2	98
Ala.	1	7	22	21	7	5	1	2	1	1	3	6	77
Mo.	0	2	42	41	8	4	1	1	1	0	0	0	100
Miss.	0	3	19	30	10	14	5	3	2	2	3	5	96
Ark.	0	2	21	41	20	7	2	1	1	1	1	1	98
La.	0	5	20	28	17	15	2	2	2	1	2	2	96
Okla.	0	0	4	15	22	18	2	2	2	4	2	2	73
Texas 2/	5	5	6	9	12	19	3	2	2	2	2	2	69
N. Mex.	0	1	8	25	30	9	3	1	2	1	3	6	89
Ariz.	0	0	8	28	29	14	6	4	1	1	2	3	96
Calif.	0	1	14	28	23	13	3	3	3	3	3	5	99
U.S. 2/	1.6	3.9	14.4	21.8	15.0	13.7	3.1	2.2	1.8	1.8	2.3	3.4	85.0

State	1967 crop - preliminary								
	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Total through March 3/
	Percent								
N.C.	0	0	21	31	22	12	3	1	90
S.C.	0	4	23	38	15	6	2	1	89
Ga.	1	13	15	20	21	7	2	1	80
Tenn.	0	0	16	45	29	4	1	2	97
Ala.	0	4	16	33	23	6	5	3	90
Mo.	0	0	18	51	21	4	3	2	99
Miss.	0	2	18	33	13	12	3	4	85
Ark.	0	0	16	41	24	6	2	2	91
La.	0	6	24	45	7	3	3	2	90
Okla.	0	0	5	28	33	15	5	4	90
Texas 2/	14	5	7	12	19	23	5	3	88
N. Mex.	0	0	9	31	17	10	5	8	80
Ariz.	0	0	13	31	24	12	4	1	85
Calif.	0	0	8	33	16	9	4	5	75
U.S. 2/	5.1	3.0	11.8	26.1	18.4	14.0	3.8	3.3	85.5

Percent of five tenths or less shown as "0".

1/ Excludes unredeemed loans on August 1, 1967.
2/ A small percent for July is included in August.
3/ Excludes unredeemed loans and cotton still in producers' hands on April 1, 1968.

Crop Reporting Board, Statistical Reporting Service.

Table 29.--CCC upland cotton inventory: Stocks, July 31, 1967, and May 15, 1968 and cotton sold under NO-C-31 since April 5, 1967

Staple	Inventory		Current inventory	
	July 31, 1967		May 15, 1968	
	Quantity	Share of Total	Quantity	Share of Total
	Bales	Percent	Bales	Percent
7/8" and shorter	114,937	1.4	4,894	3.8
29/32"	914,660	11.3	10,016	7.8
15/16"	2,830,941	35.0	40,839	31.7
31/32"	703,077	8.7	25,418	19.8
1"	712,140	8.8	10,199	7.9
1-1/32"	2,144,630	26.6	5,688	4.4
1-1/16"	573,745	7.1	11,650	9.0
1-3/32"	67,419	.8	12,478	9.7
1-1/8"	16,346	.2	6,091	4.7
1-5/32" and longer	4,795	.1	1,520	1.2
Total	1/8,082,690	100.0	2/128,793	100.0

Staple	Sales--NO-C-31--April 5, 1967-May 15, 1968 3/					
	Immediate delivery		Delivery, August 1, 1968		Total sales	
	Quantity	Share of total	Quantity	Share of total	Quantity	Share of total
	Bales	Percent	Bales	Percent	Bales	Percent
7/8" and shorter	83,092	1.1	26,951	5.6	110,043	1.4
29/32"	820,721	11.0	83,923	17.5	904,644	11.4
15/16"	2,526,898	33.8	263,204	54.9	2,790,102	35.1
31/32"	605,866	8.1	71,793	15.0	677,659	8.5
1"	683,749	9.2	18,192	3.8	701,941	8.8
1-1/32"	2,129,899	28.5	9,043	1.9	2,138,942	26.9
1-1/16"	557,104	7.5	4,991	1.0	562,095	7.1
1-3/32"	53,938	.7	1,003	.2	54,941	.7
1-1/8"	10,026	.1	229	.1	10,255	.1
1-5/32" and longer	3,177	4/	98	4/	3,275	4/
Total	7,474,470	100.0	479,427	100.0	7,953,897	100.0

1/ Includes 2.5 million bales sold for delivery on August 1, 1967.
2/ Excludes 0.5 million bales for delayed delivery.
3/ Sales before adjustments.
4/ Less than 0.05 percent.

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Table 30.--Commodity Credit Corporation stocks of cotton, United States, August 1, 1967, to date

Date	Total	Upland			Extra-long staple 1/		
		Owned 2/	Under loan	Total	Owned 3/	Under loan	Total
	1,000 bales	1,000 bales	1,000 bales	1,000 bales	1,000 bales	1,000 bales	1,000 bales
1967							
August 1	5,781	5,602	---	5,602	179	---	179
August 4	5,781	5,602	---	5,602	179	---	179
August 11	5,572	5,395	---	5,395	177	---	177
August 18	5,572	5,395	---	5,395	177	---	177
August 25	5,311	5,134	---	5,134	177	---	177
September 1	5,311	5,134	4/	5,134	177	---	177
September 8	4,948	4,770	2	4,772	176	---	176
September 15	4,952	4,770	6	4,776	176	---	176
September 22	4,365	4,180	9	4,189	176	---	176
September 29	4,369	4,180	13	4,193	176	---	176
October 6	3,770	3,581	19	3,600	170	---	170
October 13	3,778	3,581	27	3,608	170	---	170
October 20	3,320	3,112	41	3,153	167	---	167
October 27	3,333	3,112	54	3,166	167	---	167
November 3	2,969	2,704	102	2,806	163	4/	163
November 10	3,014	2,704	147	2,851	163	4/	163
November 17	2,545	2,147	234	2,381	160	1	161
November 24	2,565	2,147	255	2,402	160	3	163
December 1	2,000	1,543	296	1,839	156	5	161
December 8	2,038	1,543	330	1,873	156	8	164
December 15	1,698	1,157	377	1,534	155	9	164
December 22	1,765	1,157	444	1,601	155	9	164
December 29	1,672	1,013	497	1,510	151	11	162
1968							
January 5	1,808	1,013	633	1,646	151	11	162
January 12	1,830	956	710	1,666	151	13	164
January 19	1,922	956	802	1,758	151	13	164
January 26	1,887	874	848	1,722	151	14	165
February 2	1,906	874	866	1,740	151	15	166
February 9	1,867	824	876	1,700	151	16	167
February 16	1,860	824	867	1,691	151	18	169
February 23	1,821	789	862	1,651	151	19	170
March 1	1,882	789	922	1,711	150	21	171
March 8	1,821	739	909	1,648	150	23	173
March 15	1,799	739	888	1,627	149	23	172
March 22	1,742	708	862	1,570	149	23	172
March 29	1,708	708	828	1,536	149	23	172
April 5	1,677	689	817	1,506	148	23	171
April 12	1,668	689	807	1,496	148	24	172
April 19	1,631	661	801	1,462	144	25	169
April 26	1,634	661	801	1,462	144	28	172
May 3	1,276	298	810	1,108	140	28	168
May 10	1,275	298	809	1,107	140	28	168

1/ Includes American-Egyptian and Sea Island. 2/ Excludes cotton sold since April 3, 1967, for delivery during the 1967/68 marketing year. 3/ Includes American-Egyptian cotton transferred to CCC from the national stockpile, but does not include the foreign-grown cotton transferred from the stockpile for sale or disposition. 4/ Less than 500 bales.

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Table 31.--Commodity Credit Corporation stocks of cotton, United States, August 1, 1966, to July 31, 1967

Date	Total	Upland			Extra-long staple 1/		
		Owned 2/	Under loan	Total	Owned 3/	Under loan	Total
	1,000 bales	1,000 bales	1,000 bales	1,000 bales	1,000 bales	1,000 bales	1,000 bales
1966							
Aug. 1	12,239	12,052	---	12,052	187	---	187
Aug. 5	12,239	12,052	---	12,052	187	---	187
Aug. 12	12,052	11,865	---	11,865	187	---	187
Aug. 19	12,052	11,865	---	11,865	187	---	187
Aug. 26	11,836	11,650	---	11,650	186	---	186
Sept. 2	11,836	11,650	4/	11,650	186	---	186
Sept. 9	11,587	11,398	4	11,402	185	---	185
Sept. 16	11,596	11,398	13	11,411	185	---	185
Sept. 23	11,285	11,067	33	11,100	185	---	185
Sept. 30	11,313	11,067	61	11,128	185	---	185
Oct. 7	10,972	10,693	96	10,789	183	---	183
Oct. 14	11,033	10,693	157	10,850	183	---	183
Oct. 21	10,752	10,354	218	10,572	180	---	180
Oct. 28	10,838	10,354	304	10,658	180	---	180
Nov. 4	10,605	10,007	422	10,429	176	4/	176
Nov. 11	10,734	10,007	552	10,559	175	4/	175
Nov. 18	10,387	9,478	736	10,214	173	4/	173
Nov. 25	10,512	9,478	859	10,337	173	2	175
Dec. 2	10,049	8,809	1,066	9,875	171	3	174
Dec. 9	10,210	8,809	1,225	10,034	171	5	176
Dec. 16	9,850	8,272	1,402	9,674	168	8	176
Dec. 23	10,008	8,272	1,558	9,830	168	10	178
Dec. 30	9,654	7,804	1,671	9,475	167	12	179
1967							
Jan. 6	9,672	7,804	1,688	9,492	167	13	180
Jan. 13	9,953	7,630	2,141	9,771	167	15	182
Jan. 20	10,078	7,630	2,265	9,895	167	16	183
Jan. 27	9,919	7,406	2,327	9,732	166	21	187
Feb. 3	9,948	7,406	2,353	9,758	166	24	190
Feb. 10	9,835	7,306	2,337	9,643	166	26	192
Feb. 17	9,838	7,306	2,339	9,645	166	27	193
Feb. 24	9,708	7,177	2,337	9,514	166	28	194
Mar. 3	9,669	7,177	2,299	9,476	165	28	193
Mar. 10	9,594	7,105	2,297	9,402	163	29	192
Mar. 17	9,584	7,105	2,288	9,393	163	28	191
Mar. 24	9,427	6,994	2,245	9,239	162	26	188
Mar. 31	9,374	6,994	2,194	9,188	162	24	186
Apr. 7	8,583	6,209	2,189	8,398	161	24	185
Apr. 14	8,563	6,209	2,167	8,376	161	26	187
Apr. 21	8,137	5,810	2,135	7,945	161	31	192
Apr. 28	8,081	5,810	2,079	7,889	161	31	192
May 5	7,865	5,621	2,052	7,673	161	31	192
May 12	7,819	5,621	2,006	7,627	161	31	192
May 19	7,661	5,493	1,977	7,470	161	30	191
May 26	7,634	5,493	1,950	7,443	161	30	191
June 2	7,441	5,317	1,934	7,251	161	29	190
June 9	7,400	5,317	1,894	7,211	160	29	189
June 16	7,070	5,053	1,829	6,882	160	28	188
June 23	7,011	5,053	1,771	6,824	160	27	187
June 30	6,675	4,787	1,702	6,489	160	26	186
July 7	6,627	4,787	1,655	6,442	160	25	185
July 14	6,313	4,515	1.615	6,130	158	25	183
July 21	6,267	4,515	1,569	6,084	158	25	183
July 28	5,781	4,227	1,375	5,602	157	22	179

1/ Includes American-Egyptian and Sea Island. 2/ Excludes cotton sold for delivery after July 31, 1967, and includes early forfeitures. 3/ Includes American-Egyptian cotton transferred to CCC from the national stockpile, but does not include the foreign-grown cotton transferred from the stockpile for sale or disposition. 4/ Less than 500 bales.

Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service.

Table 32.--Premiums and discounts for grades and price per pound for Middling 1-inch cotton, in the designated spot markets, annual and monthly averages, 1958-68

Year beginning August 1	Premiums	Price Middling	Discounts						
	White		White		Light Spotted			Spotted	
	Strict Middling		Strict Low Middling	Low Middling	Strict Middling	Middling	Strict Low Middling	Strict Middling	Middling
Year	Points	Cents	Points	Points	Points	Points	Points	Points	Points
1958	66	34.47	336	717	---	---	---	422	708
1959	59	31.93	277	515	127	281	508	326	542
1960	55	30.96	213	365	116	225	364	275	406
1961	58	33.67	133	264	68	146	266	225	322
1962	54	33.52	159	312	82	164	309	276	374
1963	46	33.18	160	316	83	160	305	289	380
1964	47	30.73	158	316	83	157	302	295	374
1965	47	29.60	166	319	87	163	305	306	379
1966	43	22.08	183	337	97	176	315	322	388
1967 1/	55	24.81	182	351	89	180	336	355	428
Month									
Mar. 1967	42	22.08	189	344	100	182	320	329	389
Apr. 1967	43	22.17	190	344	99	183	321	335	396
May 1967	43	22.23	190	344	99	183	321	335	396
June 1967	44	22.40	188	345	97	181	320	337	398
July 1967	43	22.57	189	348	98	182	322	340	400
Aug. 1967	43	22.77	190	352	97	186	331	346	407
Sept.1967	45	23.22	189	357	94	191	344	362	431
Oct. 1967	49	23.40	184	358	93	187	345	359	427
Nov. 1967	58	24.98	180	355	85	182	343	352	419
Dec. 1967	63	27.02	172	345	75	170	333	348	413
Jan. 1968	60	26.19	172	344	82	173	334	349	414
Feb. 1968	57	25.40	180	343	88	178	333	357	424
Mar. 1968	59	25.21	185	352	95	178	328	363	426
Apr. 1968	59	25.06	185	353	94	176	329	359	424

1/ Average for August 1967-April 1968.
Cotton Division, Consumer and Marketing Service.

Table 33.--Premiums and discounts for staple lengths and price per pound for Middling 1-inch cotton, in the designated sport markets, annual and monthly averages, 1958-68

Year beginning August 1	Premiums			Price 1 inch	Discount			
	1-3/32 inches	1-1/16 inches	1-1/32 inches		31/32 inch	15/16 inch	29/32 inch	7/8 inch
Year	Points	Points	Points	Cents	Points	Points	Points	Points
1958	251	167	87	34.47	74	151	274	363
1959	201	153	76	31.93	82	167	265	338
1960	186	147	75	30.96	76	153	226	280
1961	177	141	79	33.67	65	124	178	224
1962	176	141	81	33.52	70	126	176	222
1963	188	150	82	33.18	76	133	183	230
1964	221	167	96	30.73	77	134	182	229
1965	249	186	101	29.60	81	141	187	235
1966	332	265	114	22.08	124	188	239	286
1967 1/	678	591	345	24.81	274	422	501	550
Month								
Mar. 1967	359	291	113	22.08	146	214	265	314
Apr. 1967	357	289	116	22.17	150	218	269	317
May 1967	357	288	118	22.23	148	216	267	316
June 1967	368	297	119	22.40	152	222	272	321
July 1967	384	314	124	22.57	145	215	269	318
Aug. 1967	412	342	139	22.77	163	240	300	349
Sept.1967	461	391	169	23.22	211	307	377	424
Oct. 1967	586	509	255	23.40	231	339	412	459
Nov. 1967	860	757	481	24.98	293	424	496	544
Dec. 1967	884	779	538	27.02	314	502	579	628
Jan. 1968	780	693	441	26.19	304	502	584	634
Feb. 1968	740	647	390	25.40	310	498	591	642
Mar. 1968	709	619	354	25.21	320	492	590	640
Apr. 1968	669	580	339	25.06	320	492	581	632

1/ Average for August 1967-April 1968.
Cotton Division, Consumer and Marketing Service.

Table 34.--Cotton linters: Supply and disappearance, United States, averages 1935-49, annual 1950-67

Year beginning August 1	Supply				Disappearance			
	Stocks August 1	Production 1/	Net imports	Total	Consumption	Exports	Destroyed	Total
	1,000 bales 2/	1,000 bales 3/	1,000 bales 4/	1,000 bales	1,000 bales 2/	1,000 bales 2/	1,000 bales 2/	1,000 bales 2/
1935-39	548	1,132	45	1,725	836	246	5	1,105
1940-44	687	1,237	160	2,084	1,399	37	2	1,438
1945-49	405	1,326	150	1,881	1,243	138	1	1,382
1950	455	1,244	103	1,803	1,396	92	1	1,488
1951	264	1,767	113	2,144	1,306	226	2	1,534
1952	548	1,799	339	2,686	1,359	107	2	1,469
1953	1,111	2,003	164	3,278	1,324	237	2	1,563
1954	1,543	1,699	186	3,428	1,474	258	25	1,757
1955	1,491	1,703	204	3,398	1,789	396	---	2,185
1956	1,026	1,507	135	2,668	1,438	334	---	1,773
1957	824	1,256	139	2,219	1,102	185	---	1,287
1958	810	1,347	172	2,329	1,210	243	---	1,453
1959	543	1,665	164	2,373	1,446	329	---	1,775
1960	465	1,595	124	2,184	1,281	339	---	1,619
1961	468	1,639	183	2,290	1,338	250	---	1,588
1962	576	1,657	113	2,346	1,328	351	---	1,679
1963	550	1,607	164	2,322	1,358	322	---	1,680
1964	601	1,661	5/153	2,415	1,386	301	---	1,687
1965	671	1,581	5/193	2,444	1,453	283	---	1,736
1966	641	1,129	5/202	1,971	1,157	179	---	1,336
1967 6/	638	875	100	1,613	1,025	180	---	1,205

1/ Since 1941 includes production at gins and delinting plants. Beginning 1965, such data not available.
2/ Running bales.
3/ Running bales through September 1958; 600 pound equivalent gross weight bales thereafter.
4/ Bales of 500 pounds.
5/ Imports for consumption.
6/ Preliminary, partly estimated.

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Table 35.--Prices for specified qualities of cotton linters, by months, August 1965 to date 1/

Year and month	Felting grade, Grade and staple 2/: 2	3	4	5	6	7	73 percent cellulose base	Cellulose differential
	Cents per pound							
1965								
August	8.25	6.75	6.00	5.38	4.63	4.50	2.50	.06
September	7.50	6.75	6.00	5.31	4.83	4.50	2.50	3/
October	7.50	6.81	6.00	5.38	4.67	4,08	2.50	3/
November	7.50	6.81	6.00	5.38	4.67	4.08	2.50	3/
December	7.50	6.75	5.92	5.31	4.67	4.08	2.50	3/
January	7.50	6.81	6.17	5.56	5.08	4,58	2.50	3/
February	7.50	6.88	6.33	5.75	5.33	4.83	2.50	3/
March	8.00	7.50	7.00	6.50	5.81	5.42	4.00	3/
April	8.00	7.50	7.00	6.58	5.83	5.25	4.00	3/
May	8.00	7.42	6.92	6.50	5.83	5.38	4.00	3/
June	8.00	7.42	6.92	6.50	5.83	5.38	4.00	3/
July	8.00	7.42	6.92	6.50	5.83	5.38	4.00	3/
Average	7.77	7.07	6.43	5.89	5.25	4.79	3.13	3/
1966								
August	8.75	8.25	7.75	7.33	6.92	6.50	5.06	3/
September	9.00	8.38	7.88	7.44	7.06	6.63	5.00	3/
October	9.75	8.94	8.44	8.06	7.69	7.35	6.00	3/
November	9.88	9.50	9.00	8.44	8.06	7.69	6.00	3/
December	9.88	9.50	9.00	8.44	8.06	7.69	6.00	3/
January	9.88	9.50	9.00	8.44	8.06	7.69	6.00	3/
February	9.75	9.38	8.88	8.31	7.94	7.56	6.00	3/
March	9.75	9.38	8.88	8.31	7.94	7.56	6.00	3/
April	9.00	8.88	8.38	7.88	7.44	7.00	6.00	3/
May	9.00	8.69	8.06	7.50	7.00	6.50	5.75	3/
June	9.00	8.69	7.94	7.38	6.94	6.33	5.38	3/
July	9.00	8.44	7.75	7.19	6.75	6.25	5.13	3/
Average	9.39	8.96	8.41	7.89	7.49	7.06	5.69	3/
1967								
August	9.00	8.44	7.75	7.19	6.75	6.25	5.00	3/
September	9.13	8.58	7.81	7.19	6.67	6.13	5.00	3/
October	9.13	8.67	7.81	7.19	6.67	6.13	5.00	3/
November	9.31	8.69	7.88	7.19	6.56	6.13	4.88	3/
December	9.50	8.88	8.06	7.44	6.58	6.25	4.63	3/
January	9.50	8.81	8.06	7.44	6.81	6.25	4.00	3/
February	9.50	8.81	8.06	7.44	6.81	6.38	4.00	3/
March	9.50	8.81	8.06	7.44	6.81	6.38	4.00	3/
April	9.50	8.81	7.94	7.31	6.63	5.75	4.00	4/
May								
June								
July								
Average								

1/ Monthly averages of prices quoted at Atlanta, Memphis, Dallas, and Los Angeles, for linters uncompressed in carlots f.o.b. cottonseed oil mill points, excluding ports. 2/ Grade 2, Staple 2; Grade 3, etc. 3/ Differentials for variation in cellulose content range for 0.06 to 0.12 cent per pound. Beginning August, range is from 0.08 to 0.20 cent.

Cotton Division, Consumer and Marketing Service.

Table 36.--Cotton: Average prices 1/ of selected growths and qualities, c.i.f. Liverpool, England, annual 1965-67, March-April 1967, January-April 1968

Year and month	M 1"		SM 1-1/16"							SM 1-1/8"	
	U.S.	Pakistan 289 F	U.S.	Mexico	Nicaragua	Syria	U.S.S.R. Pervyi 31/32 mm.	Iran	Turkey (Izmir)	U.S.	Uganda BP 52
	- Equivalent U.S. cents per pound -										
1965	26.75	29.70	29.31	28.75	27.43	29.03	29.78	28.78	29.44	31.39	35.63
1966	25.40	27.30	28.05	28.16	26.97	27.18	29.06	28.28	28.17	30.80	31.60
1967	25.71	26.02	30.40	30.60	29.19	29.69	31.22	29.90	29.58	33.20	33.80
1967											
March	25.49	26.31	28.75	30.06	28.23	29.13	31.09	29.42	28.72	32.14	33.27
April	25.66	25.61	28.93	29.98	28.13	29.16	31.03	29.60	28.58	32.31	32.54
1968											
January	29.10	30.64	36.31	32.61	32.24	33.24	34.37	34.24	33.86	38.64	38.45
February	28.61	28.46	34.27	32.44	31.41	33.97	34.07	33.37	32.62	36.28	38.14
March	28.25	27.89	33.64	32.20	30.50	33.75	33.50	32.75	32.25	35.64	37.50
April	27.75	27.50	32.80	31.75	29.75	33.50	33.31	32.75	32.00	34.80	37.69
May											
June											
July											
August											
September											
October											
November											
December											

1/ Generally for prompt shipment.

Foreign Agricultural Service.

Table 37.--Cotton: Average prices 1/ of selected growths and qualities. c.i.f. Bremem, Germany, annual 1965-67, March-April 1967, January-April 1968

Year and month	M Lt. Spot 1-1/32"		SM 1-1/16"							SM 1-1/8"	
	U.S. 2/	Brazil Type 4/5	U.S.	Mexico	Nicaragua	Syria	U.S.S.R. Pervyi 31/32 mm.	Iran	Turkey (Izmir)	U.S.	Uganda BP 52
	- Equivalent U.S. cents per pound -										
1965	25.62	26.46	29.05	28.84	27.38	28.47	28.78	28.92	29.23	32.10	33.85
1966	24.40	24.53	27.93	27.32	26.49	27.01	27.90	27.56	27.46	31.23	30.53
1967	24.59	26.47	29.89	29.94	28.76	29.54	30.43	29.48	29.59	31.61	33.27
1967											
March	24.21	25.75	28.71	29.00	27.52	28.92	29.87	28.64	28.79	31.21	33.06
April	23.95	25.10	28.82	28.75	27.29	28.72	30.00	28.78	28.62	31.32	32.41
1968											
January	26.64	30.66	32.94	32.26	31.48	30.30	33.08	33.35	32.91	3/	37.21
February	26.40	29.35	32.62	31.80	30.72	31.90	33.10	3/	31.44	3/	36.82
March	26.22	28.40	32.55	31.48	29.96	31.48	32.95	3/	30.92	3/	35.95
April 4/	26.17	27.43	32.62	31.43	29.17	31.40	32.80	3/	30.50	3/	35.98
May											
June											
July											
August											
September											
October											
November											
December											

1/ Generally for prompt shipment. 2/ Middling Light Spotted 1-inch prior to July 25, 1967. 3/ Not quoted. 4/ Average of 3 weeks.

Foreign Agricultural Service.

Table 38.--Foreign spot prices per pound including export taxes 1/ and U.S. average spot export prices, January, February, March and April 1968 2/

Market	Foreign		United States	
	Quality	Price per pound 3/	Price per pound 4/	Quality 5/
		Cents	Cents	
	January 1968			
Bombay, India	Digvijay, fine 7/8"	28.46	20.61	SLM 15/16"
Karachi, Pakistan	289 F Sind Fine S G	24.71	25.49	SLM 1"
Izmir, Turkey	Standard II	29.13	34.50	M 1-1/16"
Sao Paulo, Brazil	Type 5	26.93	22.49	SLM 31/32"
Torreon-Coahuila, Mexico	M 1-1/16"	6/27.85	34.50	M 1-1/16"
Lima, Peru	Tanguis type 5	32.39	7/38.49	SLM 1-3/16"
Alexandria, UAR	Giza 66 good	30.76	8/37.97	M 1-1/18"
	February 1968			
Bombay, India	Digvijay, fine 7/8"	27.22	19.80	SLM 15/16"
Karachi, Pakistan	289 F Sind Fine S G	23.03	24.58	SLM 1"
Izmir, Turkey	Standard II	28.41	33.20	M 1-1/16"
Sao Paulo, Brazil	Type 5	26.93	21.64	SLM 31/32"
Torreon-Coahuila, Mexico	M 1-1/16"	6/27.67	33.20	M 1-1/16"
Lima, Peru	Tanguis type 5	31.84	7/38.49	SLM 1-3/16"
Alexandria, UAR	Giza 66 good	30.76	8/36.57	M 1-1/8"
	March 1968			
Bombay, India	Digvijay, fine 7/8"	26.70	19.62	SLM 15/16"
Karachi, Pakistan	289 F Sind Fine S G	23.26	24.33	SLM 1"
Izmir, Turkey	Standard II	27.67	32.71	M 1-1/16"
Sao Paulo, Brazil	Type 5	26.08	21.31	SLM 31/32"
Torreon-Coahuila, Mexico	M 1-1/16"	6/27.41	32.71	M 1-1/16"
Lima, Peru	Tanguis type 5	29.65	7/37.05	SLM 1-3/16"
Alexandria, UAR	Giza 66 good	30.76	8/35.87	M 1-1/8"
	April 1968			
Bombay, India	Digvijay, fine 7/8"	27.89	19.49	SLM 15/16"
Karachi, Pakistan	289 F Sind Fine S G	22.58	24.18	SLM 1"
Izmir, Turkey	Standard II	*27.50	32.15	M 1-1/16"
Sao Paulo, Brazil	Type 5	24.17	21.17	SLM 31/32"
Torreon-Coahuila, Mexico	M 1-1/16"	6/27.41	32.15	M 1-1/16"
Lima, Peru	Tanguis type 5	27.16	7/36.14	SLM 1-3/16"
Alexandria, UAR	Giza 66 good	30.76	8/35.08	M 1-1/8"

1/ Includes export taxes where applicable. 2/ Quotations on net weight basis. 3/ Averages of prices collected once each week. 4/ Average spot market gross weight price divided by 0.96 to convert price to a net weight basis. 5/ Quality of U.S. cotton generally considered to be most nearly comparable to the foreign cotton. 6/ Torreon-Coahuila District (replaces Tampico-Altamira District) cotton delivered uncompressed ex-warehouse Brownsville, Texas, Mexican export taxes paid. Net weight price--actual price divided by 0.96. 7/ Based on El Paso Market. 8/ Based on average of Fresno, Greenwood, Memphis and El Paso markets. *Average of less than 4 quotations.

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